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MASONS INTO NEW QUARTERS

DEDICATION OF NEW HOME HELD THIS AFTERNOON.

PROGRAM ON TONIGHT

Public Invited To Affair At New Building—Shrine Quartet Here —Band Unable To Come.

Maryville's new $43,000 Masonic Home was formally dedicated this afternoon.

Jonathan Stark, district deputy grand master, and former Worshipful Master of Maryville Lodge A. F. and A. M., No. 165, was in charge of the dedicatory exercises, which were held at the new home and which followed a special communication of Lodges 165 and 470 at the I. O. O. F. hall at 2 o'clock this afternoon. About 150 Masons from the two organizations attended this communication.

Rain prevented the Shrine Band of St. Joseph from coming to the dedication today. The quartet of that organization did come to Maryville and took part in the exercises this afternoon.

Following the dedication, the afternoon program was held. This was in charge of Martin Lewis, jr., Worshipful Master of Lodge No. 165. It included a vocal solo by Mrs. Fred Wolfers and an address by A. B. Duncan, probate judge of Buchanan County.

The program tonight will start at 7:30 o'clock at the new hall and will be open to the public. It will be followed by a dance at the Elks Club for the visitors.

The program tonight will open with music by the State Teachers College orchestra under the direction of H. O. Hickernell. The Shrine Quartet will also sing. There will be a vocal solo by Jay Goodman of the Shrine Quartet.

Following an address, "Masonry in Maryville," by Uel W. Lamkin, president of the State Teachers College, there will be a reading by Miss Laveta McClanahan and a trombone solo by Mr. Hickernell.

Refreshments will be served in the banquet hall of the new home by members of the local chapter, Order of Eastern Star.

Among out-of-town visitors at the ceremonies today are:

Judge Duncan, and H. H. Powell, potentate of Moila Temple, St. Joseph; Orestes Mitchell of St. Joseph, past grand master of Missouri; and Charles H. Macher, chief raban of Moila Temple.

The personnel of the Shrine quartet is:

Ezra Harrison, first tenor; Jay Goodman, scond tenor; Karl E. Johnson, baritone; and Dr. W. F. Kimball, bass.

In the absence of the Shrine Band, the Maryville band played this afternoon for the march of the Masons from the I. O. O. F. hall to their new home.

.31 of an Inch Rain Up to 1 o'Clock Today

The highest temperature yesterday was 94, according to J. R. Brink, official weather observer. The temperature at 1 o'clock this afternoon was 84, Mr. Brink said. The total rainfall up to 1 o'clock was .31 of an inch.

Keller Lawn Party to Be Tomorrow Night

Was Scheduled For Tonight But Postponed On Account of Weather —Is Farewell Event.

The annual lawn party which was to have been given by Dr. and Mrs. Fred Keller at their home tonight has been postponed on account of the weather to tomorrow night. The party is for Dr. Keller's students in his Bible class and College and is generally attended by several hundred young men and women. This will be the Keller's farewell party as they are leaving within the next few days for Jonesboro, Ark., where Dr. Keller becomes superintendent of schools next year.

Charles Bigley Gives Bond Today

Charles Bigley who was arrested Wednesday on a charge of robbery was released today from the county jail when his bond for $1,500 was signed by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bigley, living near Tarkio. Bigley's case will come up at the October term of circuit court.

Speaks Here Monday

DR. G. W. DYER

AIR FLIVVER PLANS SHOWN

HENRY FORD DISPLAYS MODEL OF ONE-SEATER.

100 MILES PER HOUR

Machine Propelled by Three-Cylinder Engine of Between Twenty-Five and Thirty Horse Power.

Ford Experimental Laboratories, Dearborn, Mich., July 30.—Henry Ford today displayed to newspaper men for the first time an experimental fabric monoplane of twenty-foot wing spread which he indicated might be the forerunner of the long-awaited "flivver" of the air.

The dimunitive plane, labeled with the well-known trade mark, was shown during an interview.

Ford announced that the plane was designed by Otto Keppen of New York.

In practice flights, Ford said, the plane, which is a one-seater, already has attained a speed of a hundred milse an hour.

The machine is propelled by a three-cylinder engine of between twenty-five and thirty horse power.

Bee Hive Is Selling Chautauqua Tickets

With Sales Going on Well, Indications Are That Attendance This Year Will Be Record.

In the list of ticket sellers for the 1926 Maryville Chautauqua the name of the Bee Hive Shoe Store was inadvertently omitted.

Additional volunteer ticket sellers are: Ruth Miller, Marguerite Leuck, Thelma Reimer, L. L. St. Clair, John Graves, W. E. Goforth, Ruth Kramer, Helen Kramer, Betty Hickernell, Virginia Larmer, Mrs. R. C. Person and Mrs. D. A. Caldwell. There are more now than 40 firms and individuals selling tickets. Any others who will sell tickets are requested to communicate with D. A. Caldwell, secretary of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce at once.

All who can conveniently do so are urged to purchase their season tickets before Saturday night as it does not seem likely that the reduced price will prevail after that time. Early indications are that the Chautauqua attendance this year will break all previous records.

Mrs. Hall Continues Her Fight for Liberty

Somerville, N. J., July 30.—Attorneys for Mrs. Frances Stevens Hall, in jail here charged with the murder of her husband, the Rev. Edward W. Hall, and his pretty choir singer, Mrs. Elanore Mills, today will make application for a writ of habeas corpus for her release. Should the application be refused, they will apply for her release on bail.

George Fred Davis received word today of the sudden death of his sister, Mrs. Anna Carmody of Champaign-Ill., who was found dead this morning. The body will be brought to Maryville for burial, and will be accompanied by two brothers, Emanuel and Ben Davis of Kansas City, who will leave for Champaign tonight.

Mrs. Carmody was 52 years old. Two daughters, both living in Bloomington, Ill., and two grandchildren, also survive. Mr. Carmody died six years ago and is buried in Miriam cemetry, Maryville.

NEED TROOPS STILL LONGER

MAY BE USED TO STOP RIOTING OF BRITISH STRIKERS.

POSSIBILITY OF END

Delegation Of Miners Vote To Submit Clergymen's Plan To District Councils For Action.

London, July 30.—Intimation that the government may be forced to use troops to prevent further rioting in the coal fields was made today in the House of Commons by Sir William Joynson Hicks, home secretary, when he moved the continuance of the state of emergency for another month in accordance with the king's proclamation.

Sir William appealed to the Laborites to use their influence with the coal miners to maintain calm so that it will not be necessary to use troops. There have been numerous riots and disorders in the coal fields since the strike began. Sid William Said, but thus far none has asumed serious proportions.

A national conference of the miners federation was in session today considering reports by president Huber Smith, secretary A. J. Cook and others, on the plan of the clergyman for peace, which provides for a resumption of work without any change in hours or wages.

The meeting is regarded as highly important and some hopes are held that it may result in the finding of a basis for negotiations between the miners and operators.

London, July 30.—The national delegates conference of miners today voted to submit the clergymen's plan for ending the coal strike to its district councils, recommending that the plan be accepted. The plan calls for resumption of work on the same wages and hours that prevailed before the strike was called on May 1.

New York In Lead In Exports; Mich. Third

Falling Off In Cotton Prices Forces Texas To Second—Manufacture of Autos Important Factor.

New York, July 30.—With New York in the lead in exports and the advance of Michigan from eighth to third place featured a review of the country's foreign trade for the first three months of 1926, issued today by the department of commerce.

Texas which led the United States during the same period in 1925 dropped into second place due to a slump in cotton prices. Automobiles made in Michigan placed that state well up in front.

Name Dates and Places for Bank Assn. Meets

Council Of Administration And Group Secretaries Select Cities For Meetings Of Eight Organizations.

Mexico, Mo., July 30.—Dates and places for the annual meetings of the eight groups of the Missouri Bankers' Association have been selected by the Council of Administration and the group secretaries, and were announced here today by Walker W. Pollock, state president of the Association, and President of the North Missouri Trust Company.

The group meetings open with Group No. 1 meeting at Hannibal on October 12, and the others follow: Group No. 2, Chillicothe, October 21; Group No. 3, St. Joseph, October 20; Group No. 4, Marshall, October 19; Group No. 7, Springfield, October 28; and Group No. 8, Neosho, October 29.

W. W. Pollock, president of the Association; Edward Buder, St. Louis, vice-president; E. B. Jacobs, Carthage, treasurer; W. F. Keyser, Sedalia; secretary; were present at the plan meeting, as was E. E. Amick, Kansas City, former president and a number of other group chairmen and secretaries.

To Miller Funeral in Body.

Members of the W. R. C. and G. A. R. are requested to meet at the First Methodist Church at 9:45 o'clock tomorrow morning for the purpose of attending the funeral of Mrs. Catharine Miller, to be held at 10 o'clock.

Will Open Pickering Road First of Week

First Three Miles, Up to Bridge, Accepted by State and Taken Over for Maintenance.

The 4.875 miles of hard-surface road between here and Pickering will be opened to the public the first of next week, H. H. Davidson, project engineer, announced this morning. The project is slated to be completed by August 1, and will be opened Monday or Tuesday, when J. E. Carlson, division construction engineer, will make his final inspection.

The first three miles of the road, up to the bridge, have been accepted by the state and taken over for maintenance. Amos Zook, superintendent of the work on the road, said this morning that about three-fourths of a mile of shoulder is yet to be completed and the road will have to be bladed.

There is a bad place 1.3 miles south of Pickering, at the edge of the paving. A ditch has been washed away, and Mr. Zook is working two teams today filling in the place. If it were left in its present condition, accidents would be likely to follow, he said.

MUCH EXPORT OF PRODUCTS

U. S. HAS SURPLUS OF CROPS WITH 355,000,000 ACRES IN.

REDUCTION OF AREA

In Last Five Years Acreage Has Dropped 19,000,000.— Thousands of Farmers Ruined in That Period.

Washington, July 30.—With approximately 355,000,000 acres planted in crops for harvest, the United States will have a large surplus of farm products for export this year, the agriculture department forecast.

The area planted in harvest crops, however, has been reduced 19,000,000 acres in the last five years, the first time in history that there has been a decrease in crop area in America. This decrease of 5 per cent occurred despite an 8 per cent increase in population.

"Owing to the extraordinary demands of the war period the average of crop land in 1919 was nearly ten years ahead of what was expected from the previous rate of expansion, but owing partly to the agriculture depression since 1921 and partly to certain changes in consumption requirements, the acreage now has dropped five years behind what it would have been had the normal increase continued," the department stated.

Decreases in crop acreage have occurred principally in the eastern cotton belt, in the corn and winter wheat belts, the eastern and southern portions of the corn belt, the hay and dairy region from Lake Michigan to the Hudson valley and in eastern Washington and California.

To partially offset the decrease, increases were reported in the semi-arid western portion of the great plains region extending from Southwestern Texas to Montana and beyond, the upper portion of the Missippi river bottoms and in central Florida, southwestern Minnesota, northern Minnesota and Wisconsin.

"Thousands of farmers have been ruined in the last five years by the agriculture depression," the department reported after a nationwide survey. "The collapse of prices after the war caused financial ruin, especially among young men who had purchased farms largely on credit during the boom years."

Large Crowd Attends Band Concert Here

Given Under Auspices of Chamber of Commerce—Last One To Be Next Wednesday Night.

A large crowd attended the band concert given in the courthouse yard last night under the auspices of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce. Some persons started parking their cars as early as 6:30 o'clock. The numbers were all appreciated by the audience.

The last concert of the series will be given next Wednesday night. The date has been changed on account of the opening of the Chautauque next Thursday.

Fred Winnell of Wilcox was in St. Joseph today.

TENSE FEELING RULES MEXICO

CLIMAX IN CONTROVERSY BETWEEN CHURCH AND STATE

TO VACATE CHURCHES

Federation of Labor Plans to Show Support of Government by Suspending Traffic Sunday.

Mexico City, July 30.—Mexico was at a high pitch of tension today as the climax in the controversy between the government and the Catholic church approached.

Many Catholic dignitaries and ordinary priests are holding masses at intervals of thirty minutes during the day and at midnight the church will be abandoned by the clergymen and turned over to a committee providing the government does not place municipal committees in charge of them.

The Mexican Federation of Labor is prepared to respond to this action by the Catholics by ordering a total suspension in traffic Sunday as a demonstration of the power of the organization to help the government.

Bodies of Drowned Persons Not Recovered

Lagrange, Mo., July 30.—The bodies of Miss Gladys Purcell of Marshall, Mo., instructor in physical education for women at the Legrange College, and H. W. Eisenberg, jr., of Legrange, who were drowned last night in the Mississippi River when their gasoline motor launch, riding the waves of an excursion steamer, capzied, had not been recovered today. The other members of the party on the launch were rescued.

Victory for Poincare Plan Believed Certain

Chamber Votes Not To Permit Any Deputies To Submit Amendments To Financial Project.

Paris, July 30.—Adoption of Premier Poincare's financial project was practically assured this afternoon when the Chamber, by a vote of 350 to 201, decided not to allow any deputies to submit an amendment to the project. Discussion of the project will begin in the Chamber tomorrow morning.

Another Big Railroad Consolidation Planned

Washington, July 30.—Another railroad consolidation project was submitted to the Interstate Commerce Commission today for approval. The New York Central asks for authority to enter into a niney-nine year lease for control of the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad, known as the Big Four system, and the Michigan Central and the Chicago, Kalamazoo and Saganaw Railroad. At the same time, the Big Four seeks to acquire a ninety-nine year lease on the Cincinnati, Evansville, Indianapolis and Terre Haute Railroad.

Charter Member of No. 470 Here Today

S. K. Snively of Blockton, Ia., Comes to Maryville for Dedication Ceremonies of New Masonic Hall.

S. K. Snively of Blockton, Ia., a former resident of Nodaway County and a charter member of Nodaway County Lodge No. 470, A. F. & A. M., is in Maryville today attending the dedication ceremonies of the new Masonic hall. Mr. Snively has been a Mason for fifty-eight years, joining Maryville Lodge No. 165 in January 1868. He became a charter member of Nodaway Lodge No. 470 when that lodge was organized Oct. 17, 1873.

Mr. Snively was a member of the state legislature, having been elected from Nodaway County in 1872. He left Nodaway County thirty-three years ago, having sold his 1,000 acre farm near Arkoe, part of it for $35 and $40 and 200 acres near Arkoe for $75 an acre. He gave for this farm of 1,000 acres, $8,000. He located at Sheridan, Wyo., and was a resident there for many years. He served as a member of the Wyoming legislature for three years and was speaker of the house at its ninth session. He was also police judge at Sheridan. For the last three years, Mr. Snively has made his home at Blockton. He will be 81 years old in September.

Evangelist To Again Face Investigators

Aimee Sempel McPherson May Be Charged With Perjury In Connection With Kidnapping Story.

Los Angeles, July 30.—Aimee Sempel McPherson today was under subpoena to appear before the county grand jury next Tuesday and be confronted by witnesses who say she closely resembles the woman who was with a man identified as Kenneth G. Ormiston, Angelus temple radio operator, in a cottage at Carmel-by-the sea.

The issuance of the subpoena followed an announcement by Asa Keyes, district attorney, that he will reopen the McPherson case investigation before the grand jury for the purpose of having the jury decide if Mrs. McPherson committed perjury when she told her story under oath of having been kidnapped and held prisoner for ransom.

TIGHTENS NET ON BOOZE RING

SEARCH CONTINUES FOR THREE HIGHER-UPS.

PREPARING EVIDENCE

Sixty More Arrests In Hugh Eastern Combine Expected Within Next Twenty-Four Hours.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 30.—United States attorney Templeton was today making preparations to try alleged members of the huge poison liquor ring at the September term of the federal court.

Ninety inditements have been returned so far. Thirty-one suspected bootleggers have been arrested and released on bail and Templeton said that sixty more would be arrested within thwenty-four hours.

Search continues for the three higher-ups in the alcoholic horror which has taken forty-four lives in Buffalo and along the Niagara frontier.

The search was broadened today to include Pittsburg, Pa. and Rochester, N. Y., where several deaths from poisoned liquor have been reported during the last three months.

Federal indictments have been returned against the high officers, stockholders and employes of the Cataract Brewing Co., Inc., of Niagara Falls.

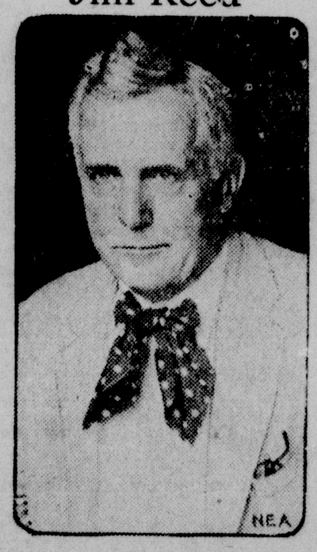
Fishermen Reported Lost After Hurricane

150 Unaccounted For—Set Out For Long Cruise For Sponges Last Friday.

Miami, Fla., July 30.—One hundred and fifty fishermen are reported lost as a result of the tropical hurricane which swept by Nassau this week, according to word received here today.

The sponge fishermen, who set out last Friday in seventy-five small boats for a six-weeks cruise among the sponge beds bordering Great Andros Island have not been heard from since the hurricane struck the island. The gale, recorded as attaining a speed of 134 miles an hour, literally smashed its way through Nassau demolishing many buildings and sinking many small crafts, according to reports here.

Jim Reed



It was so hot in Chicago that Senator James A. Reed of Missouri put on his summer duds when he went there to lead the primary election investigation. Note the tie which the fiery senator wears on hot days.

FIRST PROBE PHASE ENDED

SLUSH FUND COMMITTEE ADJOURNS UNTIL TUESDAY.

MOORE "BARES FACTS"

Gives Final List of Contributions to Smith Fund to Save Nominee from All Embarassment.

Chicago, July 30.—After revealing an expenditure of $955,032 in the recent Illinois Senatorial primary and uncovering charges of fraud and terrorism at the polls, the Senate slush fund committee today closed the first phase of the Illinois inquiry and recessed until next Tuesday.

The final session was featured by the reappearance of Allen F. Moore, manager for Frank L. Smith, the Republican nominee. Moore gave the committee a new list of contributions to his chief's campaign fund. This gift totaled $50,600. This was the list which Moore shrouded in secrecy and refused to give the committee at his earlier appearance as a witness.

Chicago, July 30.—The mystery surrounding $40,000 in contributions to the campaign fund of Frank L. Smith, Republican victor, in the recent million-dollar Senatorial primary in Illinois, was stripped aside today when Allen F. Moore, Smith's manager, bared to the Senate slush fund committee the sources of the money.

Moore "told all," as he explained it, to save the Senatorial nominee from embarrassment. The largest contribution to the $40,000 "mystery fund" was by Congressman Ira C. Copley, of Aurora, Ill., who gave $25,000. Clement Studebaker, an official of the Studebaker Motor Co., gave $10,000. Daniel Schuyler, attorney for Samuel Insull, the utility magnate, gave $2,500. There were several smaller contributions.

Approves Right To Aid Farm Bureaus

Jefferson City, July 30.—Judge Robert W. Otto, division No. 1 of the Supreme Court, today upheld in full the constitutionality of the law of 1919 empowering county courts with the right to make appropriations aiding farm bureaus.

Mellett Slayers May Be Found in Canton

Canton, Ohio, July 30.—The gunmen who compose the underworld's firing squad that murdered Don R. Mellett, champion of righteousness, two weeks ago today, may be found here in Canton. Ora Slater came back from Youngstown with the "mystery witness" today to find them.

The witness failed to identify Mike Cantos, Youngstown Greek, as the man who took part in the murder. It was not announced whether Cantos was still being held.

Meantime, it was definitely learned by International News Service that James W. Roach, "the man who cleaned up Terre Haute and Indianapolis," was en route to Canton, either to take charge or assist in the hunt for the slayers and the final extermination of the "jungles."

Alexander Forbes, a Former Resident, Dies

Scotchman Was Herdsman for Bellows Bros., and Married Miss Harriet Murray Here in 1911.

Word has been received of the death on July 13 of Alexander Forbes, former resident of Maryville and a herdsman for Bellows Bros. Mr. Forbes died in Hood River, Oregon.

While living here, he was married to Miss Harriet Murray, June 28, 1911. To this union five children were born. Mr. Forbes was a native of Scotland, having been born in Aberdeen Shire and educated in that country.

From Maryville the Forbes family moved to Iowa and then to Canada. Later they located in Oregon where Mr. Forbes was a farmer and stock raiser.

Weather

Partly cloudy to cloudy today and Saturday with thunder showers today; somewhat cooler Saturday.

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ANOTHER HOUSE OF CONGRESS.

A new branch of Congress is discovered by Glenn Frank, president of the University of Wisconsin.

He had always thought of Congress as consisting merely of the "upper" and "lower" houses, the Senate and Houte of Representatives. But going around Washington with a well informed newspaper man, he ran across dozens of headquarters representing great, organized groups of Americans. There were the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, the American Federation of Labor, the Federal Farm Bureau and nearly half a hundred others, speaking for business, labor, agriculture, education, transportation, taxation, religion and a wide range of other interests. All this elaborate system of representation, seeking to express its will in government, has grown up within a generation.

It was a revelation to the visitor. And it suggested to him that this actually made a "third house of Congress," and in time might be officially recognized as such—a house composed of representatives elected because of their wide knowledge of these special fields of interest, instead of being mere political representatives of geographical areas.

Another student of American affairs has gone further than this. He suggests that eventually we may have, as a substitute for political government, an economic government, with the various industries and professions treated as we now treat states and districts, and given representation accordingly. It seems absurd at first thought; yet there is a plain tendency in that direction.

MORALS AND MANNERS.

Capt. Pierce, chief probation officer of New Orleans, says: "Perhaps the youngsters wouldn't pet in automobiles if their parents hadn't spooned in buggies. I don't think it's bad. It's natural, and the police can't stop it."

Judge Nix of the juvenile court in that city adds his testimony that the boys and girls are no worse now than they were many years ago.

"Petting, as it is called," he observes, "leads to more marriages than scandals. And besides you can't stop it anyhow. It was always done, no matter what we old-timers may forget to recall of our own youth. It is no sin for a boy and girl to be in love."

All of which is doubtless true. At the same time, a certain amount of restraining influence is useful now, as it was of old, in keeping a lot of young people from going to foolish and scandalous limits. Though the petting may be no worse than it was a generation ago, a good deal of it, at least in and about cities, seems to be more bold and shameless than it was then.

Morals always need a restraining hand, anyway, lest they deteriorate. And if it is conceded that our young people are every bit as sound morally as their parents and grandparents were at their age—which is probably the truth—it does seem to a casual observer that their manners could stand improvement.

DICTATOR ALBERT.

King Albert of Belgium, recently made responsible for saving the Belgian financial situation, is a dictator with a difference. He derives his authority from parliament itself and not from any group attacking the parliament's powers. He will work with the aid of parliament toward a specific end, to meet a national emergency.

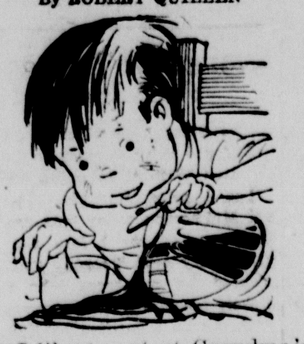
There is another novel feature of this dictator's kingship. Mostly European kings are finding themselves relegated to minor roles in government. Dictators may kindly consent to let the kings continue wearing some of the insignia of royalty, but they don't let the kings have much to say about anything of any importance.

With King Albert, it was different. He has long been regarded as the true leader of his people in the best sense of kingship. It was confidence in his loyalty to the Belgians as well as in his outstanding ability that made the Belgian parliament place this great authority in him.

Other kings in other places could learn much from Albert of Belgium.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN



"I like to eat at Grandma's because she don't say 'that's enough young man' when I'm pourin' molasses on my cakes."

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Stewart's WASHINGTON LETTER

By Charles P. Stewart
NEA Service Writer.

Washington.—With nearly everybody else of consequence at the seashore, in the mountains or taking life easily in some other cool spot, "I find Washington a desirable place in which to work during the mid-summer months," observes President William Green of the American Federation of Labor.

It was 99.5, too, by the weather bureau's thermometer, the day Green made this remark, and unofficial instruments were away over 100.

Nevertheless, the A. F. of L. head really did look cool and comfortable. The truth is that William Green is a calm, even tempered individual, who doesn't let little things like weather get on his nerves.

Green looks the part of a president of the A. F. of L. He looks it even more than Samuel Gompers did.

Gompers looked like a great man—a statesman. He lacked stature, but there was power in his face, and genius. So far as appearances were concerned, he might have been president of anything—a railroad or the United States Steel Corporation or the United States itself. But there was little about his looks to suggest that he ever had worked with his hands, though of course he had.

Green suggests the practical working man—a high type, but it doesn't strain the imagination to visualize him as a miner, and right on the job, in a real mine.

Gompers obviously was conscious of his greatness. It wasn't conceit. He was intellectually away above that. He apraised himself, however, at what he was worth. You knew, in conversation with him, that you were talking to a potentate.

Green is wholly unassuming. He sits at his desk in his shirt sleeves, anybody can get in to see him who has even a moderately good excuse, and if you didn't know it in advance, you'd never guess who and what he is, he's so completely free from any trace of "side."

Gompers was brilliant.

Green is substantial. He has a chunky, powerful figure, of medium height. His face is square and resolute. It's serious—not much inclined to smile. Its owner's whole makeup hints at the sacrifice of the ornamental in the interests of strength.

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Many considered poor fish turn out to be good swimmers.

"Stop slandering our young people," says a London professor. Well, you make them stop slandering us.

Matrimony is the peak of Rickard's career as a fight promoter.

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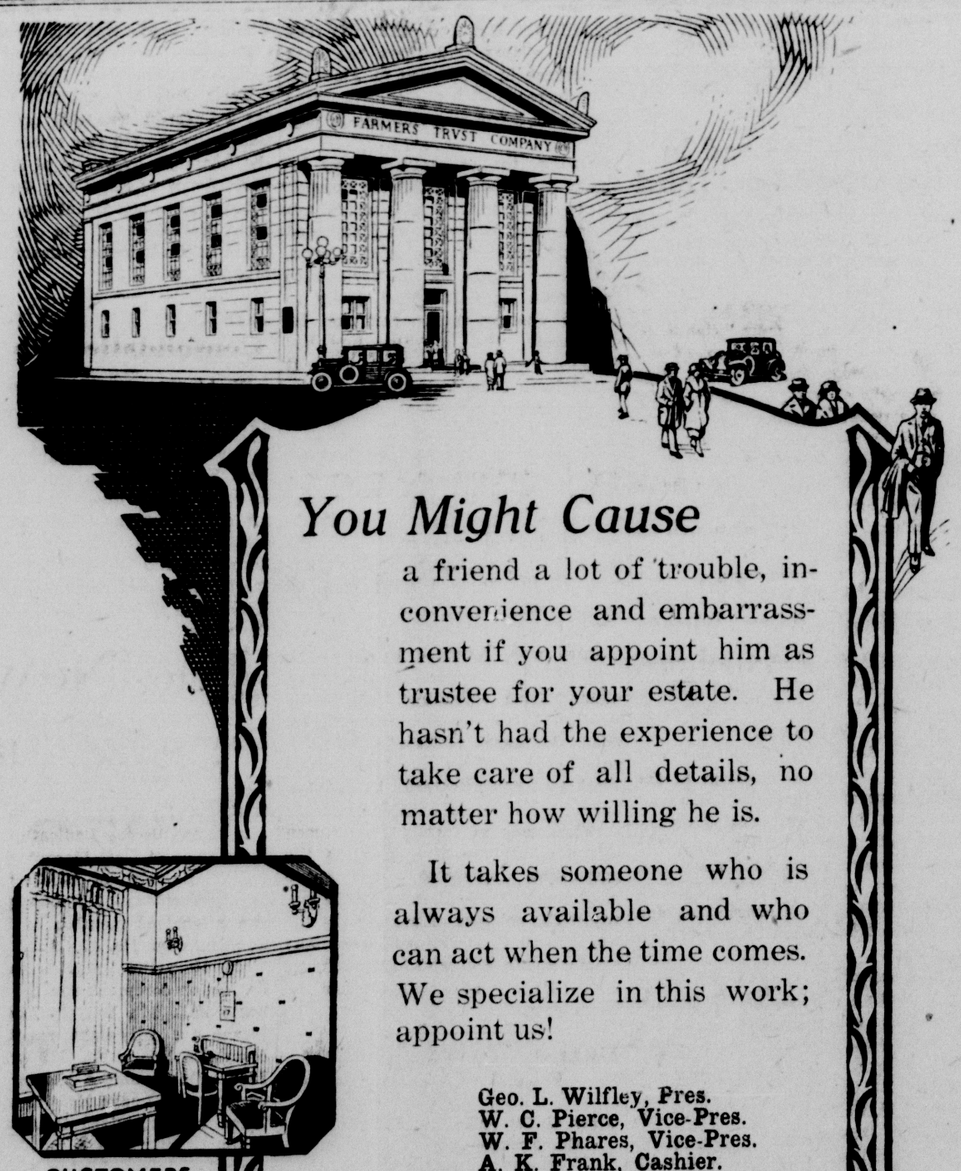
Louisiana.—Returns in the special election held here show question of submitting to the voters a proposition for a mill tax for maintainence of a hospital to be erected here was passed overwhelmingly.



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Alcoholism Deaths Highest Since 1917

New York, N. Y.—Deaths from alcoholism totalled 306 during the first six months of 1926 and increased twenty per cent compared with the same period last year according to statistics compiled by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company among 17,000,000 industrial policyholders. The death rate was 3.6 per 100,000. This can be compared with 3.0 for the corresponding period in 1925, and with rates of 3.1, 3.4, and 2.0 in the same period of 1924, 1923, and 1922 respectively. This is the highest death rate recorder among this class in the United States and Canada for the first half of any year since 1917.

This brings the total of deaths from alcoholism among Metropolitan industrial policyholders to 1,965 since January 1st, 1922. Of these deaths, 1,943 occurred among approximately 16,000,000 persons living in the United States, while only twenty-two were recorded among approximately 360,000 policyholders in the Province of Ontario.

Deaths from cirrhosis of the liver, a disease closely asociated with alcoholism, numbered 598, which corresponds to a death rate of 6.9 per 100,000. This may be compared with 548 deaths and a rate of 6.7 for the corresponding period of 1925. The rate was 6.0 for the first half of 1924.

Mortality from alcoholism has a seasonal incidence, according to a check made, by quarters, over a long series of years, by Metropolitan Life statisticians. While such seasonal incidence is not very pronounced, it is nevertheless a fact that more deaths on an average, occur during the first quarter of the year than in any of the other three month periods.

Washington—August 7 and 8 have been designated as the dates for Washington's annual homecoming this year. Plans are under way to make the event the largest and most colorful ever held.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT—Authorized by friends of Senator George H. Williams for which $15.50 has been paid.

THE REPUBLICAN SENATORIAL CONTEST.

Next Tuesday is primary day. At this time the voters of this state are given the privilege of going to the polls and expressing their choice from among the candidates who have offered themselves for the various offices to be filled at the November election. It is the plan the people have adopted as the best means by which each citizen may take his place and express his preference as to the candidates his party is to sponsor at the general election. If the plan of direct action now in vogue is to be successful it must call all of the voters to the polling place; otherwise a small minority will control.

Naturally, the point of interest for most of the voters is concentrated on the contest for the nomination of the candidate for United States Senator, and it is this contest on the Republican ticket about which I wish to write.

There are three candidates before the Republican voters for the Senatorial nomination. One of these candidates is Blodgett Priest, who says he is a sopping wet, of St. Louis; another is David Proctor, who says he is a bone dry, of Kansas City; the third candidate is George H. Williams, present United States Senator by virtue of his appointment by the governor to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Selden P. Spencer.

Senator Williams has served through but one full session of the National Congress, yet in that short time he has made a prominent place for himself as a man of exceptional ability, of lofty purpose, and of exalted patriotism. In asking for his party's nomination, he brings that record to the Republicans of this state. You know that record and you have a right to be proud of it.

It happens, however, that the brilliant achievements of Senator Williams have been somewhat overshadowed by a fictitious issue injected into the campaign by his rival candidates, and I strongly suspect that some Republicans in Nodaway County are thinking more about this fictitious issue than they are of the legitimate questions that should claim the thoughtful consideration of every voter in this state.

Senator Williams contends that the wet issue raised by Mr. Priest in St. Louis and the dry issue raised by Mr. Proctor in the rural districts of the state are sham issues. He calls attention to the fact that prohibition is a part of the fundamental law of the United States and that the Volstead law is the enforcement act passed by the federal congress; that there is no measure before the people of this nation for the repeal or modification either of the constitutional provision against the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors or of the law now on the federal statute books providing for enforcement of the constitutional mandate. He further declares that the question of prohibition cannot be a partisan matter; that the most uncompromising Republican and the most earnest Democrat may be in perfect accord on this question and on no other. He further declares he stands for the strictest enforcement of prohibition and points to the record of his appointments in the places in this state where enforcement of the law is placed—the United States district attorneys, the United States district marshals, and the enforcement officers in this area whose special work has to do with prohibition enforcement. In every instance men of known conviction in opposition to the liquor traffic have been appointed. No better evidence of Senator Williams's sincerity on this subject can be produced.

How does it happen, then, that this wet and dry issue has been raised?

Ah, there is the nub of the whole matter!

The real issue of it all is the effort of Walter S. Dickey, C. C. Madison and others to regain control of Republican organization in this state. David M. Proctor is an incident, a pawn in the real contest. He has been ambitious for office for a long time, and he seems to be willing to pay whatever price is necessary to achieve this ambition.

Walter S. Dickey used to be a power in Republican organization in this state. He was part and parcel of the old gang who ruled with a high hand, parceled out federal patronage—but didn't put Missouri into the Republican column. A few years ago a new leadership appeared in the Republican party in this state. Arthur M. Hyde was the head of that new leadership and under Hyde the party went out and won the state, and gave the state such splendid administration that the Republicans won again, and again, until now Missouri is recognized as at least a doubtful state in any election, with the advantage to the Republicans.

Senator Williams is aligned with the new leadership in Republican Missouri. He might have avoided the bitter contest in which he now is engaged had he been willing to permit the Dickey crowd to dictate certain appointments in the Western district of this state. But he would not yield this responsibility to another—and he is being punished for his independence.

The wet and dry issue is a sham. It was brought into the campaign to fool the voters. It has no more verity and honesty of purpose than has the charge so recklessly made by the Proctor supporters that Senator Williams had not voted for Senator Spencer and R. R. Brewster.

Nodaway County Republicans have stood militantly for the new leadership in this state; they will continue so to stand when they vote for Senator George H. Williams next Tuesday.

Fred Hull

Out in Society

Lucas Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thomas and their guest, Mrs. Allie Ryan of Olathe, Kan., and Robert Gallagher were guests at a dinner which Mr. and Mrs. George Lucas gave yesterday.

Hosts at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thomas were hosts at a dinner today, entertaining as their guests Mrs. R. L. McDougal, Mrs. Anna Bent, Mrs. Allie Ryan of Olathe, Kan., a guest at the Thomas home, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Appleby, and Robert Gallagher.

I. F. A. Club.

Members of the I. F. A. Club were entertained at the home of Mrs. Ernest Hartness yesterday afternoon. The evening was spent in sewing for the hostess. After a short business meeting refreshments were served, Mrs. E. C. Moberly assisting the hostess. Those present were Mrs. Clyde Cassell, Anna and Velma Cassell, Mrs. Frank Fagerquist, Mrs. Lawrence Frazee and daughter, Dorothy Mae, Mrs. Ira Mozingo, Mrs. Ed Shreve, Mrs. George Stafford and Mrs. E. C. Moberly. Mrs. A. R. Martin will be hostess to the club Aug. 12.

Mowry W. W. Club.

A postponed meeting of the Mowry W. W. W. Club was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stewart Robinson. A radio program was enjoyed after the business meeting. Assisted by her daughter, Violet, the hostess served refreshments. The following members were in attendance: Mrs. Lester Hood, Mrs. Charles Hinton, Mrs. Will Berkey, Mrs. Dennis McGinness, Mrs. Shan McGuire, Mrs. Frank Howard, Mrs. Nancy Neal, Mrs. Albert Simmons, Mrs. Stewart Robinson and Mrs. Will Hewitt. Visitors at the meeting were Mrs. Beal, Effie and Audrey McGuire, Marjorie May Howard and Violet Robinson. The meeting next week will be held Thursday instead of Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Walter Runnels.

Arrived for Reunion.

Relatives and friends are begining to arrive to attend the Barrett Reunion which will be held Sunday at the Wess Barrett farm west of town.

Manville Carothers and wife motored here from Kirksville, Mo., Saturday and are visiting Mrs. Carothers' parents, Rev. and Mrs. Reubin Barrett. Mrs. Floyd Barrett and children, who had been visiting the Carothers, returned home with them.

Tuesday, Harry Barrett, L. D. Carr and wife drove in from Sugar Grove, Penn., to attend the reunion and to visit with relatives and friends.

George Muerer and wife, also of Pennsylvania, came last week and have been visiting relatives and friends and will attend the reunion. Mrs. Muerer gave a dinner at the Commercial Hotel last Thursday evening in honor of her husband's birthday and invited Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barrett, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barrett.—Skidmore News.

Picnic Supper.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Braniger, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Gillam, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Costello, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lewis, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Deatherage, all of Maryville, Mrs. Palmer of Kansas City, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fordyce entertained at a picnic supper at Mineral Springs Tuesday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wray. After the supper, all went to the Wray home and spent the evening playing bridge.

—Burlington Junction Post.

Miss Clutter Entertains.

Miss Doris Clutter entertained at bridge Tuesday evening, the following guests being present: Mrs. J. T. Sykes, American Falls, Idaho; Mrs. D. W. Cook, New York City; Miss Cleo Kime, St. Louis; Miss Phoebe Lowry, St. Joseph; Mrs. Galen Turner, Misses Frances Beinert and Helen Moorhead. First prize was carried off by Miss Beinert.—Hopkins Journal.

Ladies' Day Luncheon.

More than seventy-five reservations were made for the ladies' day luncheon yesterday afternoon at the Country Club. The luncheon was served at 1 o'clock and bridge and other games followed. The largest party of the afternoon was a Dutch treat party of sixteen, Miss Leona Lock of Overland Park, Kan., being the out-of-town member of the group. Mrs. E. L. Townsend was hostess to fourteen guests and Miss Carrie E. Hopkins entertained a party of eight. There were several other smaller parties. Yesterday's luncheon was in charge of Mrs. J. A. Speirs, chairman, Mrs. C. F. Remus and Mrs. W. F. Phares. The next ladies' day affair on August 12 will be under the direction of Mrs. M. L. Beattie, chairman, Mrs. R. C. Seal and Mrs. Byron Costello.

Disband During August.

No regular meetings of the Ladies Auxiliary to Seth Ray David Post, V. F. W., will be held during the month of August, it was decided at the regular meeting Tuesday night at the Veterans Association rooms. The members have arranged a picnic for their families at the Elm Grove school Sunday evening, August 1. A picnic supper will be served at 6 o'clock.

Missionary Meeting.

The July meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Emery Airy on North Main street. Mrs. Andrew Wood and Mrs. S. A. McClurg were the assisting hostesses. The devotionals were led by Mrs. George H. Colbert. The program opened with a review of the "Women and Missions" and "All the World" magazines and articles in two numbers of the "Atlantic Monthly" by Mrs. Colbert. "Medical Missions in Many Lands" was the topic presented by Mrs. Charles Wadley. During the social hour refreshments were served by the hostesses. About sixteen members were in attendance.

Alert Rebekah Lodge.

Alert Rebekah Lodge met in regular session last night with Mrs. Florence Thornhill, noble grand, presiding. The local lodge will put on the degree work at the Rebekah assembly to be held at Stanberry, Sept. 2. All members of the degree team are requested to meet at I. O. O. F. Hall Monday night, Aug. 2, to practice.

Mrs. J. F. Colby has returned from a three weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Miles G. Saunders of Pueblo, Colo. She was accompanied on the trip by her nephew and niece, Jimmie and Mary Jackson.

Two Speed Boys

These two speed merchants—Carl Cooper (at the top) and Pete De Paolo—are up to their old tricks again. Cooper copped the 200-mile event at Salem, N. H., the other day, averaging 116.562 miles an hour. De Paolo came in first over a 50-mile stretch on the same track in one of the other races, "stepping on her" to the tune of 128.24 miles per hour. Either time is plenty fast enough, you'll doubtless admit.

New Beauty Cream Becomes Popular

You will be enthusiastic over a new French Process Cream for whitening and beautifying the skin. It is so pure and different from other creams. Women say they see a great improvement in their complexions after the first application. If you want smoother, brighter and younger skin, use MELLO-GLO Cream. It's wonderful. Maryville Drug Co.—Adv.

Fresh Cut Roses, Gladioli,

Carnations, Sweet Peas, etc., for any occasion. Engelmann's is "A Complete Floral Service."

Alfred Engelmann
"The Florist."
Phones 17, Greenhouses 1001
South Main St.

Help Wanted READ WANT ADS

Ousted

William Faversham, noted actor, was chosen to play the Christ in the Hollywood (Calif.) Pilgrimage play, and then was dismissed. Now he says he was hired only for publicity purposes, and is preparing to bring suit. This picture shows him made up to portray the character.

Livengood Passes Bar Examination for Mo.

Lowell L. Livengood, superintendent of schools at Elmo, has passed the state bar examination and is now eligible to practice law in any court in the state. The examination was held in Jefferson City, June 28, 29, 30.

For the last three years, Mr. Livengood has been studying with the American University of Los Angeles, Cal., doing his work by correspondence. He holds the L. L. B., degree from that institution.

Corps of Artists Is Preparing for Fete

Now Moulding Busts of Presidents for Greater St. Louis Exposition September 4 to 19.

St. Louis, July 30.—A corps of artists, working with tons of plaster of paris, gellatin glue and other ingredients, is preparing for the Greater St. Louis Exposition to be held at Forest Park here Sept. 4 to 19.

The staff of artists, recruited from the east and west coasts, is engaged at present in moulding the busts of all the nation's heads from Washington to Coolidge which will flank each side of a "presidential plaza."

The figures will be double the life size and will be mounted on high pjedestals flanking the plaza which will lead from the massive 350 foot arched entrance to the grounds. They will be arranged in groups interspersed with flowers and shrubs and huge vases set upon columns 15 feet high. In the foreground will be a twelve-foot bust of Washington, the country's first president, and in the extreme background will be a similar likeness of President Coolidge, representing a span of 150 years which the exposition is designated to commemorate.

The work of modeling the features of the presidents is in the hands of two widely known artists, E. Graham Douglas and A. Silva, both of whom have arranged the casting of numerous figures for film settings. The remainder of the group is engaged in the work of molding eagles, huge balls to be used in mounting the numerous colonades, and the extensive lighting system, friezes and other decorations that will be used in beautifying the exposition grounds and buildings.

"The enormity of the work that is being done here," Pery Alen, director, said, "can be gauged from the fact that about two tons of plaster paris is being used every day in the modeling work. We have already used ten tons of clay and two tons of gellatin glue, not to mention other ingredients that have been used since work began."

Kirksville Guard Co. Leaves for Training

Kirksville, Mo., July 30.—Company K, 138th Infantry, of the Missouri National Guard, will leave here on Sunday morning, August 8, for the annual two-weeks encampment at Camp Clark, Nevada, Mo.

K Company, under command of Capt. J. J. Pinkerton, will be joined at Moberly by Company L of Hannibal under command of Capt. G. D. Walker, and from there the companies will have a special train. At Fayette, Company M will join the train and at Boonville, Company I, of Marshall. This will complete the third battalion with the exception of the Headquarters company from Chillicothe which will go by way of Kansas City.

The mornings at Camp Clark are to be devoted to military training exclusively, including military tactics, musketry, drills, and terrain problems. The afternoons are spent in various forms of athletics while at night there are wrestling and boxing matches and plays for entertainment.

The annual track and field meet will be held on Friday, August 20, and on Saturday there will be held the sham battle.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT—Prepared by Friends of Marion F. Smith, for which $13.50 has been paid.

Here Are My FIVE Reasons For Wanting To Be RECORDER

MRS. NELLIE SMITH—Mother of our 4 girls.
NELLIE MARION—16 years old; senior in High School this fall.
EUDORA—13 years old; enters High School in September.
CHARLOTTE—9 years old; goes to Fourth Grade when school opens.
SHIRLEY FRANCES—8 months old; weighed 3½ pounds 8 months ago. As you will notice the photographer has her whole attention.

I wanted you to see the whole bunch of Smiths so you would know who you were voting for when you vote Tuesday.

A VOTE FOR MARION F. SMITH

—is a vote for their happiness, and the education of these four girls.

Baseball

Old Fair Grounds
Sunday, August 1st.
SHENANDOAH
vs.
MARYVILLE
Admission—35c, 15c

Members of
ROSANNA CHAPTER
Order of the Eastern Star.
All members are requested to meet in the basement of the M. E. Church, 9:45 Saturday morning to attend the funeral of our late sister
KATHERINE MILLER.
Elizabeth Woodward, W. M.
Bertha Heryford, Secretary.

Avoid Poorly Balanced Breakfasts

Start the day with Quaker Oats —food that "stands by" you.

IF you feel tired, hungry, "fidgety," hours before lunch, don't jump to the conclusion of poor health. Thousands have unenergetic mornings because they start the day with wrong breakfasts.

To feel right, you must have a well-balanced, complete breakfast ration. At most other meals—lunch and dinner—you get it. But breakfast is a hurried meal, often badly chosen.

Thus Quaker Oats, containing 16% protein, food's great tissue builder, 58% carbohydrate, its great energy element, plus all-important vitamines and the "bulk" that makes laxatives seldom needed, is the dietetic urge of the world today.

Don't deny yourself the natural stimulation this rich food offers you.

Get Quaker Oats today. Grocers have two kinds: Quick Quaker, which cooks in 3 to 5 minutes, and Quaker Oats.

Quaker Oats

Announcing-

The New Electrical Reproducing Musical Instrument

Just as the telephone–telegraph–electricity itself–were in their days amazing new revelations that advanced by giant strides ahead of previous achievements, so comes the Panatrope, a musical instrument that is absolutely new in principle, and in the musical results it produces.

The Brunswick Panatrope was created, and perfected, by foremost laboratories in the science of acoustics–General Electric Company–Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company–The Radio Corporation of America and The Brunswick-Balke-Collender Co. It operates directly from the electric light socket.

We cannot justly describe this wonderful new instrument, so we ask you to hear it. Just call upon us for a demonstration, which we will gladly furnish without obligation.

Price Furniture Co.

KC BAKING POWDER
Same Price for over 35 Years
25 ounces for 25 cents
Why Pay War Prices?
Our Government used millions of pounds

FREE COAL coming your way

It's just like finding money. See our extraordinary offer in **The Saturday Evening Post** of July 31st, pages 98 and 99.

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Tonight
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A thrilling story of Love and Adventure.

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Featuring
Elaine Hammerstein and Wm. Haines.

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Admission 10c and 25c

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Cuban Heel, in one and three-strap; spike heel in plain pump and one strap; low heel pump.
Two months yet to wear them

25%

Discount.

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"Art in Footwear"

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Night 7:30 and 9:00. Admission, Adults 40c; Children 20c.

Last time tonight to see
NORMA TALMADGE with RONALD COLMAN
in "KIKI." Also International News.

SATURDAY, JULY 31—

Mary Philbin in "STELLA MARIS"

From the novel by William J. Locke. A picture you will enjoy from the title to the end. Be sure and see it. Also two reel western. Matinee at 2:30—10c and 30c.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT
for which $3.00 has been paid.

FRED GADDIS

Democratic Candidate for Nomination for
COUNTY CLERK

To My Friends:

This is to call your attention to my candidacy for County Clerk. I hope it meets with your approval and I assure you I will appreciate your support.

May I ask you to see that your friends go to the polls.

FRED GADDIS.

THE NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
will close
Tomorrow Morning—10 o'Clock
For the funeral services of
Mrs. Catherine Miller.

According to the St. Joseph News-Press, Miles H. Fast, a farmer near Burlington Junction, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in federal court in St. Joseph. He listed liabilities at $30,000, all of which are secured on Nodaway County land. He listed assets, aside from farm land, at $4,500.

Mrs. J. E. Herbert and daughter, Helen Ruth, of Muskogee, Okla., are visiting friends in Pickering.

Cash 1,232-Pound Steers at $9.

Sesson and Sturesman of Nodaway County, cashed on Wednesday's St. Joseph market a load of 1,232-pound steers at $9.

Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Moss came from Omaha last week to spend the week end with the former's sister, Mrs. Oren Thompson of Dwyer, Wyo., who has been visiting at the Fisher Mercer home. It has been thirteen years since Mrs. Thompson and his brother had seen each other.

C. C. Hellmers of Lincoln, Neb., is here today to attend the dedication of the new Masonic Hall. Mr. Hellmers was a member of the building committee before moving to Lincoln.

Mrs. H. W. Koenig of Evansville, Ind., is visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Williams.

Mrs. Don Martin and daughter, Marilyn, are visiting relatives at Story City and Webster City, Ia., for several weeks.

The Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Walton and family of Pickering entertained the following guests from Maryville last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. James Linthcum and daughter, Audrey Linthicum, and Misses Martha and Ruby Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hepburn of Hopkins will spend the week end in Maryville with their daughters, Mrs. D. E. Hotchkin and Mrs. George Fred Davis and their families. They will be accompanied by Miss Frances Walton of Hopkins.

Mrs. Louie Whited and children of Sidney, Mont., and Mrs. Ben Mercer are visiting Mrs. Whited's mother, Mrs. W. F. Mercer, her brothers, Ab and Fisher Mercer, and Mrs. Ben Mercer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Swearingen. This is the first visit of Mrs. Whited and Mrs. Mercer to Missouri for ten years.

Name Spelled Brittain.

John E. Brittain of Guilford, a candidate for the Republican nomination for recorder, is having trouble about the spelling of his name. In the election ticket printed in yesterday's Democrat-Forum Brittain's name was spelled Britton. His name appears correctly on the official ballot to be voted on next Tuesday.

Mrs. Orear Home.

Mrs. Ed. G. Orear returned to Maryville Wednesday night from Kansas City where she had been since last January.

CHICKEN THIEVES BUSY

(Burlington Junction Post.)

Chicken thieves are busy again, in this section and a few days ago raided the chicken houses of D. S. Griffith north of Quitman taking about 175 chickens. About 150 of those stolen were young chickens and about 25 were old ones. The thieves took all the chickens there were on the place but about 90.

Mrs. Eva Miller, living about a mile from the Griffith place had a number of chickens stolen about the same time.

HURT IN CAR ACCIDENT

(Barnard Bulletin.)

Clarence Snyder, Carl Stephens and George Lucas were badly shaken up and George Lucas sustained a painful cut in the face, Wednesday night when the car in which they were riding collided with a truck on the St. Joseph and Savannah road. As we understand it, the driver was blinded by the lights from a truck and in turning aside was struck by a second truck which had no lights. George was unable to take his place on the Snyder threshing crew today.

Sustains Broken Arm.

John Todd of Guilford sustained a broken right arm and other bruises Monday evening when a load of oats turned over on him. He was out in the country helping thresh. The bone near the elbow was fractured.

Picnic for Vets and Families.

A picnic for members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and Auxiliary will be given at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Aug. 1, at Elm Grove. There will be games. Chicken, ice cream, cake, etc., will be served. All members are invited to come and bring baskets. Transportation provided if necessary.

Oklahoma Visitors.

Prof. V. B. Wallin and family of Stillwater, Okla., are expected to arrive in Maryville this afternoon by automobile for a short visit with Mr. Wallin's brother, J. R. Wallin, and family, 521 North Market street. The visitors are en route to northern Wisconsin on a camping trip.

Bernard Shaw spent his seventieth birthday knee deep in congratulatory letters and telegrams. I wonder if the old boy will say publicly what he thinks about the senders.

Read the Want Ads.

FARM GLIMPSES

By BILLY TILSON

Charles Skidmore, the grain buyer and elevator man at Guilford, shipped out a load of oats Wednesday. He has a car of wheat ready for shipment and says the wheat crop is light down that way but is an extra good quality. Threshing will soon be done in Washington township.

Carl Wray, the Guilford banker, had the best yield of wheat in that vicinity that we have heard from. His field of wheat averaged thirty-one bushels per acre.

Ballard brothers, east of Guilford, will have around a car and a half of wheat. John Beggs, northeast of Guilford, expects to have around 800 bushels. The acreage is light down that way but is a splendid quality.

The Hilsenbeck threshing outfit was threshing in northeast of Barnard this week and most of the wheat and oats will be in the bin in a few days. Only a few fields are yielding very heavy in wheat or oats.

Farmers of Lincoln township will soon have their wheat and oats threshed. Several machines were running up that way this week. Wheat and oats are not making a very heavy yield in general, while a few fields of wheat and oats are making good yields but grain is all testing good.

Clyde Walters, threshing for Roy Lyle, west of Burlington Junction, threshed out 450 bushels of oats in one hour and 30 minutes. All Clyde asks is to get the grain to the machine and it will take care of it.

Henry Staples had a force of men putting up alfalfa hay the first of the week. Henry has 100 head of fine yearling heifers and is feeding them and running them on grass. They are making a good gain.

Dr. Morgan of Graham is rebuilding his residence and when completed will have one of the modern homes of that City. The outside will be of kellastone. The Doctor has already completed a new office building and is located on a lot adjoining his residence.

Marion Curry and Alf Thornton finished grading the new road that runs west from the Davis schoolhouse sometime ago and now Clyde Hoshor is putting the finishing touch on it. He is making a rounded corner where you make the turn west and when Clyde gets through with the work it will be a pleasure to drive that way.

Ernest Linville, wife and son, of Skidmore are taking a trip west in their car. They will be gone about four weeks and will visit relatives in Denver, Colo., before returning home.

Carl Eliott and son on the George McMurry farm, southwest of town, were threshing their field of wheat yesterday. They were making a fair yield. Ralph Pope with his threshing crew were doing the work. The machine goes from there to the John Nielson field.

James Vert and sons, northwest of Maryville, were threshing their grain yesterday. Mr. Vert thought the yield would be fair.

George McNeil, southeast of Graham, finished baling his timothy hay the first of the week. There were 25 acres in the field and he baled out 47 tons of hay weighed over the scales. This was clear timothy with no clover in it.

Paper Starts on Its 48th Year This Week

The Burlington Junction Post is celebrating its birthday this week. It starts its forty-eighth year with this week's issue. Few papers in cities the size of Burlington Junction in this section of the country have been published that long under the same name. The Post was established in 1879, and has been published continuously since, missing but few issues, and those were missed because of the plant being destroyed by fire.

Thomas McGarry is spending the day in St. Joseph.

AUNT HET

"The way girls dress now may be healthy, but I don't feel respectable if I ain't got somethin' tight around the middle."

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Pickering

O. G. Null.

Mrs. H. M. Lincoln returned home Tuesday from Creston where she had visited a few days at the home of her son Oa Lincoln.

Mrs. Floyd Groves of Salida, Colo., is visiting here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Rutherford, and with other relatives.

Mrs. Albert Harris and three children of St. Joseph are visiting at the home of Mrs. Lee Morford, mother of Mrs. Harris, and with other relatives at this place.

Mrs. James Buchanan and daughter, Doris Jane of Osawtomie, Kan., left for their home Tuesday afternoon after a few days visit here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Null, parents of the former, and with other relatives.

Mrs. Ed Herbert and daughter, Helen, of Muskogee, Okla., are visiting former neighbors and freinds here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Gibson of St. Joseph spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. McGinness, parents of Mrs. Gibson. They were accompanied home Sunday evening by Miss Charlotte McGinness, who will visit in St. Joseph a few days.

Miss Helen Garten of Maryville is visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hinton in the Mowry neighborhood.

Miss Mary Featherby of Burlington Junction is spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sharr.

Miss Dorothy Good of St. Joseph is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sherlock in Long Branch vicinity this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McKee and their grandson, Milton Wray, spent last Saturday night and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McKee in Sheridan.

A party composed of Miss Gracie and Earl Sharr of Bloomdale neighborhood, Miss Beryl and Wilmer Sharr of near Gaynor and Norman Carmichael of Conway, Iowa, drove to Keokuk, Ia., last Saturday. They spent Sunday in viewing the power dam and other places of interest in and near Keokuk and visited the Iowa penintentiary at Fort Madison on their way home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Montgomery of Mozingo Valley neighborhood accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Joe Holt, and Mr. Holt, and their son, Beryl Montgomery, left the first of the week for a motor trip to Portland, Oregon, and other places of interest on the Pacific coast. They expect to be gone about two months. W. H. Lilley of Pickering is looking after affairs on their farm during their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Null and grandchildren, Katharine Null and Dale Ellis, of St. Joseph and Mrs. Nancy Craven drove to Sheridan last Sunday after Sunday School and spent the afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Streetor, visiting with Mrs. Amanda Nave and members of her family who were having a family gathering there that day.

A reunion of several members of the Taylor family and their families was held at the park in Tarkio last Sunday.

Those attending from here were, Mrs. M. V. Epps, Mrs. W. T. Rutherford and her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Williams, Mrs. Floyd Graves, Mrs. John McGuire, her grandsons, Floyd and Harold McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Taylor and Mrs. Laura Morehouse and daughter, Adaline of Good Hope neighborhood and George Kunkle. Mrs. Luel Taylor who has been visiting here for the past few weeks accompanied the party to Tarkio and went on to her home in Omaha with her husband who with several other parties from Omaha attended the reunion.

Era of Prosperity Sweeping Oklahoma

Best Crops Of All Kinds In Prospect And Banks In Better Condition Than Any Time Since 1920.

Oklahoma City, Okla., July 30.—With the best crops of all kinds in prospect, and banks and industries in better condition than they have been since 1920, an era of prosperity is sweeping Oklahoma, according to financial experts at the capital.

State banking conditions have improved and there will not be a number of failures such as recently wiped out banks in Florida and Georgia, Waldo Watkins, assistant state banking commissioner declared.

The state banking board has adopted a policy of extreme conservation, Watkins said, in the matter of granting new bank charters. The days of the oil town bank booms are through he said.

There have been but four bank failures so far in 1926, and three of these are ascribed to alleged official crookedness.

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What Nodaway County Churches Are Doing

FEAR YE NOT, STAND STILL

Comment on the Uniform International Sunday School Lesson for August 1, 1926.
Read Exodus 13-14.

Wm. Southern, Jr.

Somewhere I have read this story. During the darkest days of the Civil War, when everything seemed to be going wrong, the Governor of Illinois became utterly discouraged. The Union armies were being driven back and the Governor saw no hope. He wrote President Lincoln a letter when he was in this frame of mind. President Lincoln sent him this message:

"Read Exodus 14.13. Fear ye not, stand still, and see the salvation of the Lord."

If we got nothing out of the account in Exodus but this one sentence, the old story would still be very much worth while. I have often wondered if men under great stress as was Lincoln during our Civil War, would be able to come through, would have the courage to "stand pat," without knowing God and believing in God.

Moses was born and reared in Egypt. He was educated in Egypt. He was rich and powerful. He indulged in the sports and games which amused the royal family. He must have hunted and fished and travelled over Egyptian territory and have been familiar with every foot of the land over which he afterward led the Israelites. He must have known that across the border to the northeast, a short distance, dwelt a strong and warlike people who would not permit a group of strangers to pass and to devour the land. He had probably ridden in his chariot to the southeast and knew all about the places where the Red Sea was shallow and perhaps at one time he had seen what a strong east wind would do at a certain point. This was a part of the education of Moses, just as his initiation into the Egyptian mysteries of the priesthood was a part of his education, just as the forty years in Midian was a part of his education.

When Moses decided to make the attempt to lead the Israelites out of Egypt he used all this knowledge and planned his route. This is the way God works through chosen men, men selected for a great purpose. He expect us to use all the wisdom and strength we have, in the confident faith that when the time comes He will do the rest.

Is faith in God of any practical use to us in this twentieth century? Or is it as some men claim to believe just a superstition for weak minds?

There have been twenty-nine Presidents of the United States. President Coolidge is called the thirtieth president because Cleveland served two terms separated by four years and is numbered twice in the list. Of these men eight were Episcopalians, seven Presbyterians, four Methodists, four Unitarian, two Dutch Reform, and one each Baptist, Disciples and Congregational, while one is listed as independent in religion. All believed in God. I do not believe that a man should be trusted with any important position in the public service, where great things are demanded and expected who does not believe in God. No man who is egotist enough to think that he is able to meet all emergencies, to fight all battles, to successfully lead a nation, trusting only in his own strength, is fit to be trusted to direct the destinies of a nation. Your psychology will explain why this is true. I will go further than this. I do not believe any man will ever be elected president of the United States who does not believe in God. As a side remark and on my own hook I wish to add that I do not believe an avowed Wet can ever be elected President of the United States.

The story told in Exodus, the leadership of Moses, his belief in God, how God dealt with the nation through which was to come our Lord and Master the Savior of Mankind, may be held in musty tomes, may tell of times which are out of date, but it is much worth while.

God deals with man just as He dealt with men thirty-three hundred years ago.

"Fear ye not, stand still, and see the salvation of the Lord."

It is small patience I have with the man who quits trying and cries out for help. I have a lot of sympathy for the hardy Norse warrior who said he did not bother God with his prayers ordinarily and especially as long as he could fight his own way. I am afraid that most of us are willing to let God do it all and sit down and cry for help when with a little courage and hard work, perhaps danger, we could help ourselves. We pray for our daily bread when in fact what we have in our minds is a thick measure of butter for that bread and perhaps home-made preserves. Very few of us are content with dry bread, we want God to furnish us regular banquets.

There is more than a suggestion of this in the text of Exodus. Moses had led his charges, no matter how many, no matter whether there were six hundred thousand men beside the women and children, or whether there were only six hundred families, into what seemed to be a trap. In front of them was the sea, on either side mountain and desert and behind them the chariots and the army of the Egyptians bent on capturing them. The crowd became panic stricken, they reviled Moses, they asked him if there were not plenty of graves in Egypt without bring them out here for certain destruction. Moses must have weakened a little for he asked help of God and this is the reply:

"Wherefore criest thou unto me?" Look where you are going and go ahead. Get busy. And when Moses looked around the waters had receded and there was a path across the sea. They had, as the saying is, "hollered before they were hurt." If you who read this are in desperate straits, if you have fought as it seems to you as long as you can, pray to your God and then look forward and go ahead, the water has probably been pushed back.

THE DELIVERANCE AT THE RED SEA.

Scripture Lesson—Exod. 13. 17-22; 14. 10-16.

Exod. 13. 17-22.

17. And it came to pass, when Pharaho had let the people go, that God led them not through the way of the land of the Philistines, although that was near; for God said, Lest peradventure the people repent when they see war, and they return to Egypt.

18. But God led the people about, through the way of the wilderness of the Red sea; and the children of Isreal went up harnessed out of the land of Egypt.

19. And Moses took the bones of Joseph with him; for he had straitly sworn the children of Israel, saying: God will surely visit you; and ye shall carry up my bones away hence with you.

20. And they took their journey from Succoth, an encamped in Etham, in the edge of the wilderness.

21. And the Lord went before them by day in a pillar of a cloud, to lead them the way; and by night in a pillar of fire, to give them light; to go by day and night.

22. He took not away the pillar of the cloud by day, nor the pillar of fire by night, from before the people.

Exod. 14. 10-16.

10. And when Pharaoh drew nigh, the children of Israel lifted up their eyes, and, behold, the Egyptians marched after them; and they were sore afraid; and the children of Israel cried out unto the Lord.

11. And they said unto Moses, Because there were no graves in Egypt, hast thou taken us away to die in the wilderness? Wherefore hast thou dealt thus with us to carry us forth out of Egypt?

12. Is not this the word that we did tell thee in Egypt, Let us alone, that we may serve the Egyptians? For it had been better for us to serve the Egyptians, than that we should die in the wilderness.

13. And Moses said unto the people, Fear ye not, stand still, and see the salvation of the Lord, which he will shew to you today; for the Egyptians whom ye have seen today, ye shall see them again no more for ever.

14. And the Lord shall fight for you, and ye shall hold your peace.

15. And the Lord said unto Moses, Wherefore criest thou unto me? Speak unto the children of Israel, that they go forward.

16. But lift up thy rod, and stretch out thine hand over the sea, and divide it; and the children of Israel shall go on dry ground through the midst of the sea.

Golden Text—The Lord is my strength and song, and he is become my salvation.—Exod. 15:2.

Paul Stone to Lead Endeavor Services

Paul Stone will be the leader of the Christian Endeavor services at the Christian Church at 7 o'clock Sunday night. The subject for discussion will be "Faith." Miss Matilda McMillan will give a talk on "Faith In Ourselves and Our Work" and Miss Hazel Hawkins will discuss "Faith In Our Fellowmen." Faye Croy will talk on "Faith In Our Church" and Keith Swisher will discuss "Faith in God." Miss Gladys B. Andrews of the College faculty will also make a talk.

District 6 Meeting At Ravenwood, Aug. 8

Conference Will Be Held At Christian Church There Both Afternoon And Evening—Public Invited.

The annual young people's conference of District No. 6 will be held at the Ravenwood Christian Church in the afternoon and evening of August 8.

The public is cordially invited to attend the program which will be as follows:

2.30—Song.
Song.
Scripture Reading—Hazel Row.
Prayer—Kenelm Thrasher.
Address of Welcome—Dorothy Hunterson.
3:00—Music—Harmony Orchestra.
Music—Harmony Orchestra.
Who's Who.
3:30—Four Fold Life.
Religious—Charley Thomas.
Social—Fay Woodson Null.
Quartette.
Physical—Gertrude Horton.
Mental—Homer Needles.
Organized Class Discussion—Miss Bookman.
Election of Officers.
4:30—Announcements.
Recreational Hour.
6:00—Lunch.
7:00—Epworth League led by Eileen Needles.
8:00—Song.
Song.
Scripture Reading.
Prayer.
Violin Duet—Audrey Nelson and Geraldine Hunt.
Music—Ravenwood Orchestra.
Address—Rev. R. A. Mitchel.
Song.
Benediction.

The following committees will have charge of the arrangements:

Recreation—Dorothy England, Russell Lewis, and Betty Thomas.

Refreshments—Dorothy Hunterson, Vashti Conn, Mildred Wygal, Everett Thrasher.

Registration—Audrey Nelson and Eileen Hunterson.

Decorations—Hope Deshazer, Thelma Stoneburner, and Myron Crater.

Advertisement—Bertha Cox, Lucetia McKee, Hazel Comer, and Pearl Kessler.

Chairman of the meeting—Zella Needles.

Song Leader—Paschal Monk.

Pianists—Mildred Wygal and Geraldine Hunt.

The Rev. T. J. Puckett will preach at the Baptist Church at the morning services, which begin at 11 o'clock.

ASKS DRYS TO JOIN FORCES

MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE ISSUES STATEMENT.

MOVEMENT STARTED

"Prohibition Still Issue," Maryville Ministers Believe—Kansas City Man To Speak Here.

Union services will be held in every town in Nodaway County Sunday night in the interest of the dry cause.

The Ministerial Alliance of Maryville and a number of church laymen are inaugurating the movement. The general theme to be discussed throughout the county Sunday night will be "Is Prohibition An Issue In This Campaign?"

"Upon the doctrine that prohibition is not an issue, many voters are being put to sleep and, therefore, will not be out to vote at the primary next Tuesday," says a statement issued by the Ministerial Alliance. "Many good people think the wet and dry issue is as dead as slavery, but that is because they do not stop to think. This fall, at the general election, the voters of Missouri will be asked to vote upon a referendum as to whether or not the present state prohibition law should be repealed, thus leaving the state without any prohibition law. Each party ticket should be headed by a dry candidate next fall. Judge Ewing Cockrell and Willis H. Meredith, Democrats, and David M. Proctor, Republican, have announced that they are opposed to any repeal of the prohibition law."

The Rev. William N. Dewar, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, will have charge of the union services here, which will be held at the Baptist Church at 8 o'clock Sunday night. The principal speaker will be Dr. Corbon of Kansas City, who is said to be a very forceful speaker. He is coming to Maryville by special invitation.

The Rev. R. E. Musgrave will speak at the union services at Skidmore and the Rev. R. A. Mitchell will go to Guilford. Dr. C. C. James will probably go to Burlington Junction. Although the Rev. Guy L. Prather is out of the city, he is in hearty accord with this movement.

Noted Orator to Speak At College and Church

Dr. Gus W. Dyer To Discuss Necessity For Efficiency And Economy In Expenditure Of Public Funds.

Dr. Gus W. Dyer, dean of the department of economics of Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., who will deliver an address at the College assembly Monday morning, will also speak at the First M. E. Church here at 8 o'clock Monday night.

Dr. Dyer is one of the best-known orators of the South. His services are in constant demand by bankers' and business organizations for convention addresses and after dinner speeches.

He is making a tour of the state under the auspices of the Associated Industries of Missouri. He discusses the necessity for efficiency and economy in the expenditure of public funds by our state, county and local departments of the government.

The public is cordially invited to attend the lecture Monday night. There will be no admission charge.

Rockford Contest to Close Next Sunday

Sunday will be the last day of the Sunday school attendance contest at the Rockford Church. The Reds are now 1½ points ahead of the Blues in the contest.

Church services will be at 11 o'clock with the sermon by the Rev. J. H. Fanning and special music by Lois Daken and Kermit Moore.

Special Music for M. E., South, Services

Special music has been arranged for the morning services at the M. E. Church, South, Sunday, beginning at 10:45 o'clock. The pastor, the Rev. R. A. Mitchell, will preach on "The Iron Gate." Harry A. Miller of the College faculty will speak at the Epworth League meeting at 7 o'clock Sunday evening.

Goal of 1,000 is Set For Big Sunday Rally

Last Sunday Here For E. W. Glenn And Dr. Fred Keller—Ten Cars To Canvas City.

The Christian Sunday School has set a goal of 1,000 for Sunday and every effort will be made to secure that number. Seven hundred and fifty-three were present last Sunday. The average attendance for July was 608, while a year ago, it was 453.

Next Sunday will be the last one here for E. W. Glenn, superintendent of the Sunday school, and Dr. Fred Keller, teacher of the College Bible Class.

Ten automobiles will be used in making a thorough canvas of the city Sunday morning and all those who would like to attend Sunday school but are unable to walk the distance are asked to notify the pastor, the Rev. R. E. Musgrave.

At the morning church services, the Rev. R. E. Musgrave will preach on "God's Prophets."

Dewar To Preach On Building for Eternity

The Rev. William N. Dewar, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, will preach on "Building for Eternity" at the morning services Sunday. Miss Beverly Martin will be the leader of the Christian Endeavor services at 7 o'clock Sunday night. The subject will be "Wise and Fullest Decisions."

PICKERING.

M. E. Church.

Services Sunday August 1st as follows:

Myrtle Tree: Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Pickering: Sunday school at 10 a. m. In connection with the opening services, Mrs. Ingles' class of girls will give a drill.

Preaching at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m.

We invite the public to these services. All are welcome.

E. W. CROY, Pastor.

Photographed Telegrams

Belinograph, the system of sending photographed telegrams by wire, is becoming popular in Europe, says Popular Science Monthly. The cost of sending an autographed telegram has been reduced in France to 25 cents.

Many advantages are pointed out for this new type of telegram. Messages need not be translated for transmission. One hundred words can be written easily on a form and go as a single photograph. The sender can be sure his message will be delivered exactly as he wrote it and the receiver can identify the sender by his own signature.

Moreover, the transmission is declared to be very rapid.

NEWS OF SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES OF VARIOUS CHURCHES IN COUNTY

AT HOPKINS.

(From the Hopkins Journal).

Methodist Church.

There was a fine attendance at the Sunday school last Sunday. We are hoping for even better next Sunday. You are urgently invited. Come and enjoy the lesson study. The Missionary superintendent will provide an excellent program during the session.

At eleven o'clock the pastor will bring the message and all are invited to remain for the preaching hour.

In the evening the congregation will unite in the union service at the open air meeting.

Meeting At Unity.

Meetings will begin next Sunday at Unity church, east of Hopkins, with Earl C. Smith, of Canada, in charge. He will be assisted by O. S. Boyer, of Louisville, Ky. Services will be held each night during the week as well as on Sunday morning and night and everybody is invited.

The Union Services.

At eight o'clock next Sunday evening the congregations of Hopkins will again unite in a union service. At this meeting a great chorus of the juniors and children will lead in the song period. Come and enjoy this fine prelude. The sermon will follow. Let all the people unite in this program of evening worship.

AT RAVENWOOD.

(From the Ravenwood Gazette).

Methodist Church.

Remember the meeting of the singers on next Friday night at the church. This is a meeting for practice and for planning the special services for the 4th Sunday in August. Don't fail to come Friday nights. We need anyone who will help.

The Epworth League will hold an ice cream social near the Ravenwood Motor Co. building, Saturday night, July 31. Ice cream and cake. Your patronage will be appreciated.

A special service on next Sunday night at 8 o'clock. The subject for this week and for next Sunday night is "Christianity as I have seen it at work this week." In this Christian nation, in our Christian communities we should see the forces of Christianity at work in various ways, through individuals and through social groups.

F. S. MATHES, Pastor.

AT CLEARMONT.

(From the Clearmont News).

Christian Church Notes.

Next Sunday, August 1st, will start the campaign for new members to the Sunday school, also an effort will be made to get those who are not attending to reconserate their lives to the master.

Arragnements are being made to discuss the question, "Is Prohibition a political issue?" This is to a a union meeting and every one should turn out.

M. I. ROSE, Pastor.

Baptist Church Notes.

The M. W. U. meeting Tuesday was a pleasant and profitable session, the attendance not quite up to the standard. Missions in Africa was the subject, Nigeria the special field. Mrs. Milbank was the leader, a good program was given.

We are praying that the coming of the Association, Sept. 9 and 10 will bring us a great spiritual uplift.

Only two weeks until the Chautauqua. How time flies.

Sunday school 10 o'clock next Sunday. In the midst of a business age let us not neglect the all important thing, our souls welfare, we will have a long time to spend in the next world.

W. W. LAUGHLIN, Pastor.

AT SKIDMORE.

(From the Skidmore News).

Methodist Episcopal Church.

At four o'clock next Sunday afternoon we will hold our Fourth Quarterly Conference. Dr. E. B. Thompson, the District Superintendent, will be here to preside. This is an important meeting and all official members should be present.

The Epworth League will meet at 6:30 next Sunday evening to hold a short business meeting prior to the union young peoples meeting, which will be held at 7:00.

Sunday school and morning preaching at the regular hours. A cordial invitation is given to all.

J. JAY COKELY, Pastor.

Homecoming At Burr Oak Church Sunday, August 8.

The Burr Oak Church, four miles west of Skidmore, will hold their Annual Homecoming Sunday, August 8.

An invitation is extended to all who want to come especially to all residents, former residents of Burr Oak community and Minnesota Valley and Mt. Salem folks and friends.

There will be a basket dinner at noon and all are asked to bring well filled baskets and spend the day with old friends and make new ones.

ELMO.

M. E. South Church.

The pastor, both Sunday morning at North Grove and evening at Elmo will comment briefly upon the subject "Is Prohibition an issue in the Coming Election?"

T. M. TAYLOR, Pastor.

M. E. Church.

The pastor will preach Sunday morning on "The Blood of Birth, or the Blood of Sacrifice." At the evening worship there will be a discussion by the following:

The Creation of Man—Mrs. L. R. Pruitt.

The Downfall of Man—Rolla Alexander.

The Redemption of Man—Rev. Wells.

The Bible scripture lesson will be read by the leader, S. G. Williamson.

A quartette of men from College Springs are expected to furnish some special numbers.

E. O. WELLS, Pastor.

Homecoming Services At Pickering Church

The annual homecoming at the Pickering Christian Church will be held Sunday. A basket dinner will be held at noon. Services will be held in the morning and afternoon.

The Rev. C. E. Hagee of Barnard will be the speaker at the afternoon services. Following is the program for the day:

10:30 a. m.—Sunday school, with 201 as the attendance goal.

11:30 o'clock.—Sermon by the pastor, "Christ at the Ballot Box."

12:30 p. m.—Basket dinner served on church lawn.

2:30 p. m.—Special music; chalk talk by Mrs. Nellie Harris of St. Joseph; sermon by the Rev. C. E. Hagee.

World Service Day At First M. E. S. S. Sunday

World Service Day will be observed at the First M. E. Sunday school Sunday morning. Dr. E. B. Thompson, district superintendent, will preach at the morning church services. The Epworth and Intermediate league members will meet at 7 p. m.

DRAMATIC EVENTS IN BIBLE HISTORY : : By Walter Scott and Harlowe R. Hoyt

The Crossing of the Red Sea

To escape the savage tribes, Moses led his people south of the land of Goshen, once Pharaoh consented to their departure. They took with them the coffin of Joseph that his bones might rest in the promised land.
The Israelites set forth from Succoth into the wilderness, and Jehovah went before to guide them, a pillar of cloud by day, a pillar of fire by night.
Realizing the Israelites were fleeing Egypt, Pharaoh followed them with his army.
While the pillar of cloud and fire held the pursuers back, Moses led his followers to the Red Sea. The waters receded before his rod and the Israelites crossed safely, but the Egyptians, coming after, were drowned beneath the waves.
Walter Scott

The GIRL in the MIRROR

By Elizabeth Jordan

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"Come and see Barbara," Laurie bouyantly suggested. "She wants to say good-by to you, and to tell you how to tuck me into my crib every night. She's going to slip away pretty soon, you know. Bob and I have got her off in an alcove to get a few minutes' rest."

He led them to his haven, of which only fifty or sixty other guests seemed aware, for the room was but comfortably filled. They found Barbara sitting in a high-backed Spanish chair, against which, in her bridal array and her extraordinary beauty, she made a picture that unaccountably deepened the new depression in Rodney's soul. On her train by the side of the chair the infant Samuel slumbered in peace, like an exausted puppy.

Warren, hovered near his wife, shook hands with the newcomers and responded to their congratulations. Then, slipping his arm through Laurie's, he drew him across the room to where his sister, Mrs. Ordway, was languidly talking to several of the bride's old friends. He knew that Barbara wanted a final and serious word with her brother's partners. Laurie knew it, too, and winked at the pair like an impish child as he permitted himself to be led away.

Young Mrs. Warren, whose title was still so new that she looked startled when they addressed her by it, greeted them warmly and indicated the sleeping Samuel with an apologetic smile.

"His mother is lost somewhere in the crowd," she explained. "He has had two glasses of milk, four fat cakes and three plates of ice cream; and he's either asleep or unconscious, I'm not sure which." Her manner sobered. "I'm so glad to have a moment with you two," she said gently. "You know what I want to talk about."

"We can guess it." Bangs smiled at her with the odd wistfulness his smile always took on when he spoke to Barbara. To Bangs, Barbara had become a temple at whose portal he removed his earth-stained shoes. "You want us to look after Laurie," he added quietly. "Well, you bet we're going to do it."

She smiled again, this time the rare smile that warmed her face like a light from within.

"Then I shall go away happy," she told them. "And there's nothing more to be said: for of course you both understand that I don't distrust Laurie. How could I, after he has been so wonderful all this year. It's only—" she hesitated—"I suppose it's life I'm afraid of," she confessed. "I never used to be. But—well, I learned in New York how helpless we are, sometimes."

Rodney's nod was understanding.

"I know," he robustly agreed. "But it's going to be absolutely all right. Be sure of that."

Epstein added his well-meaning but none too happily chosen bit.

"Laurie can't get into no scrape we can't get him out of," he earnestly assured Laurie's sister.

Barbara laughed. A circle of newcomers was forming around them.

"We'll let it go at that," she said, and extended a hand to each man. "Good-by. I won't try to thank you. But—God bless you both!"

Under the influence of this final benediction, Epstein waddled over to the corner where Warren, very pale, and Louise Ordway, very much bored, stood surrounded by a group that included Sonya Orleneff. Firmly detaching the bridegroom from this congenial assemblage, Epstein led him to one side.

"Varren," he said solemnly, "I got to congratulate you all over again. You got von voman in a million— No, you got von voman in eighty million!"

Warren laughed, rather shakily. Over the heads of the crowd his eyes caught his wife's and held them for an instant.

"Make it a million million," he suggested joyously, and led Epstein to the supper room.

Laurie was there with Bangs and a group of friends, who, having patronized young Devon a year ago, were endeavoring to wipe out the memory of this indiscretion by an excess of friendly attention.

"No," Warren and Epstein heard him say to Mrs. Lytton and Mrs. Renway, "there's nothing I'd like better than to come, thank you. But I'm going back to New York tomorrow. You see," he added, "this business of marrying off a sister, and attending to all the details and seeing that she conducts herself properly as long as she's in my care, is a bit of a strain. I've got to get back to town and recuperate."

"I suppose you will rest your mind by writing another play?" gushed Mrs. Renway.

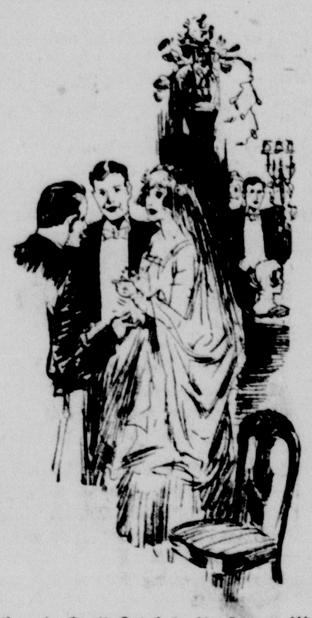
Laurie shook his black head.

"Not a bit of it!" he asserted. "Don't even suggest such a thing before Epstein, there. It sounds abhorrently like work."

Mrs. Renway's curiousity had a brief and losing struggle with her good breeding.

"Then what are you going to do?" she demanded coquettishly.

The young man pondered, as if considering the question for the first time.



"Laurie Can't Get Into No Scrape We Can't Get Him Out Of," He Earnestly Assured Laurie's Sister.

"Well," he said at last, "between you and me, I'm going in for adventure. I intend to devote the next four months to discovering how much excitement a worthy youth can crowd into his life if he makes a business of going after the gay bird adventure, and finding it, and putting salt on its tail!"

The puzzled countenance of Mrs. Renway cleared.

"Oh, I see," she said brightly, "you're joking."

Laurie smiled and turned to greet a late guest who has come up behind him. In the little group that had overheard him three pairs of eyes met in startled glances.

"Humph!" said Warren. "Hear that?"

"Nice prospect for us!" muttered Rodney Bangs.

Jacob Epstein looked harassed. A little later he joined the throng in the main hall, and watched the showers of rice fall harmlessly from the polished sides of Barbara's limousine as the bride and groom were whirled away from the brilliant entrance of Devon house.

"She's gone," he said to Bangs as the two men turned and re-entered the still crowded yet suddenly empty house. And he added solemnly, "Believe me, Bangs, on that job she's left us you an' me ve got our hands full!"

THE STORY.

CHAPTER I.—Barbara Devon's wedding and departure of her honeymoon leaves her brother "Laurie," successful playright but somewhat inclined to wildness, without her restraining influence. His theatrical associates, Rodney Bangs and Jacob Epstein, promise to "keep an eye on him."

CHAPTER II.

Rodney Loses A Battle.

Rodney Bangs, author of "The Black Pearl" and co-author of "The Man Above," was annoyed. When Mr. Bangs was annoyed he usually betrayed the fact, for his was an open nature.

He was betraying it now. His clear, red-brown eyes were clouded. The healthy pink of his youthful cheeks had deepened into an unbecoming flush. His wide, engaging grin, the grin of a friendly bulldog, was lacking, and his lips were set tight.

Sitting on a low chair in the dressing room of the bachelor apartment he and Lawrence Devon occupied together, Rodney drew on a shoe and stamped his foot down into it with an emphasis that shook the floor. Devon, fastening his tie before the full-length mirror set in the door leading to their common bathroom, started at the sound, like a high-strung prima donna. This was one of Laurie's tempermental mornings.

"What the devil's the matter with you, Bangs?" he demanded, but without ill humor. "Can't you get on a shoe without imitating the recoil of a seventy-five centimenter gun?"

Bangs grunted, drew on the other shoe, and drove his foot into it with increased energy. Laurie looked at him, and this time there was a spark in his black eyes. Very quietly he turned, crossed the small room, and, planting himself in front of his chum, resentfully stared down at the dynamic youth.

"What's the idea?" he demanded. "Are you deliberately trying to be annoying?"

Rodney did not raise his head. His fingers were busy with a complicated knot.

"Oh, shut up!" he muttered.

Laurie, his hands in his pockets, remained where he was. Under his continued inspection the fingers of Bangs grew clumsy. He fumbled with the knot, and, having unfastened it, prolonged to the utmost the process of lacing his shoes. He knew what must come as soon as he settled back in his chair. It had been coming for days. He was in for an unpleasant ten minutes. But the situation was one he had deliberately created as the only possible way of bringing about a serious talk with his friend. Now that it was here he was anxious to make the most of it. With head bent and thoughts busy he played for time.

At last, the shoes laced and his campaign mapped out, he sat up and met Laurie's eyes. Their expression of antagonism, temporary though he knew it to be, hurt him. Devon, when he had his own way, and he usually had it, was a singularly sweet-tempered chap. Never before, throughout their year of close association, had he looked at Bangs like that. Rodney knew that he deserved the look. For days past he had deliberately subjected his companion to a series of annoyances, small but intensely irritating.

"Well?" demanded Laurie. "What's the answer?"

"What answer?" Rodney was in the position of a small boy challenged to combat in cold blood. He was experiencing some difficulty in working himself up to the necessary heat for an engagement. But Laurie's next words helped him out.

"You've been making a d—d nuisance of yourself for the last week," he said deliberately. "I want to know why."

Bangs squared his stock shoulders and rose to his feet. His brown eyes were below the level of his chum's black ones, but the two glances met sharply and a flash passed between them. Under the force of his rising excitement the voice of Rodney shook.

"The reason I've been a d—d nuisance," he said curtly, "is because you've been acting like an infernal fool, and I'm sick of it."

Laurie's lips tightened, but the other rushed on without giving him a chance to reply. The moment was his. He must crowd into it all he had not dared to say before and might not be given a chance to say again.

(To Be Continued.)

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Careful Attention to a Baby's Food and Dress, and Seeing That It Has Sunshine and Fresh Air, Have Worked Wonders.

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Perhaps the most reassuring chapter in the history of medicine and hygiene relates to what has been done to promote the welfare of infancy. There is a particular appeal in doing something to make it safer for the babies.

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"In promoting the welfare and health of the mother and her child in the early years, one can most easily anticipate disease, and bring the work of hygiene out of the region of pathology and disease into that of positive attainment and enhancement of health. Satisfactory care of the mother during pregnancy and of the infant, by means within the reach of all (including a regulated diet, fresh air and sunshine, avoidance of exposure to the infectious colds of ..., and other medical preventitive measures), will prevent rickets and many serious ills of childhood.

DR. ROYAL S. COPELAND

"Maternal and child health are especially indicated in the prevention of two great scourges of humanity, tuberculosis and veneral diseases. No work for the mother and her child can have more than a fractional result which does not constantly aim a minimizing and eventually eliminating these two arch-enemies of mankind.

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This is good sense. It must be admitted that there is little satisfaction in keeping alive for a few days only an unconscious person whose early death is inevitable.

But when we strive for conditions which make for infant welfare we are not merely prolonging for a few weeks a life which is to be snuffed out. As a matter of fact, we are building up into health and vigor a life which would pass away without these efforts.

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2.—My gums are very white. What would that indicate?

A.—Perhaps gases are responsible for your trouble. Watch your diet and avoid constipation, and see whether or not you notice results. Exercise should be helpful otherwise.

2.—Anemia often causes this condition. Build up your health in general and your blood supply will increase.

J. H. Q.—What should a girl weigh who is twenty-two years of age and five feet two inches tall?

2.—What causes phlegh in my throat which causes me to expectorate often?

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2.—This is undoubtedly due to nasal catarrh. A good nose and throat spray would prove helpful in a condition of this kind. For other information send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question.

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Graham

Mr. and Mrs. Howard of Hopkins visited Tuesday with the latter's brother, Rev. B. H. Smallwood and Mrs. Smallwood.

Mrs. Mary Lyle was a guest of the Elkhorn club Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Geyer spent Tuesday at the farm. Mr. Geyer superintended the putting up of the hay.

Albert Forcade returned from Brush, Colo., Wednesday where he had been for several days looking after business interests.

Ruth Gex, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gex, is seriously ill in a St. Joseph hospital.

Mrs. Vern Mowry of Kansas City came Monday for a visit with the John Mowry family.

Rev. Mr. Musgrave and Ellis Cook of Maryville were Graham visitors Tuesday.

Alfred Walton of Ravenwood was transacting business in Graham Monday.

Jack Greeson of Maryville was in Graham Monday in the interest of his campaign.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Greeson and children of Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Geo. Greeson and sons Jack and Kenneth of Maryville visited at the E. W. Geyer home Monday.

Miss Ella Roberts and Louise Stephenson of Skidmore are the guests of Mrs. Harry Taylor this week.

Tony Hutchinson of Iowa is visiting his aunt, Mrs. John Judy and family.

George Zaucker of Cameron is visiting his sister, Mrs. James Loffer this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Geyer, Miss Sophie Finkbeiner and Robert Stickin drove up to the Quitman Oil well Sunday afternoon.

Leland Langford of Webster Groves, Mo., is visiting his grandparents, Mr and Mrs. Wily Langford.

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Morgan, N. L. Harvey and Joseph Noblet, jr., were St. Joseph visitors Wednesday.

Henry Seipel, living on the Henry Kill farm northeast of Graham, has his left arm broken Tuesday while adjusting a belt on a threshing machine.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bussell drove to St. Joseph Wednesday evening where the former attended an American Legion meeting. They were accompanied as far as Savnnah by Mrs. Effie Flemming who will visit there a few days before returning to her home in Kansas City.

Fred Welling of Maryville was in Graham Wednesday.

Mrs. Walter Smith and son of St. Joseph are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Smith this week.

Mrs. Lawrence Loffer and son, Bobby, of Bolckow are visiting at the James Loffer home this week. Additional guests are, Mr. and Mrs. Osie Silvers of St. Joseph.

Miss Mary Hansel who has been attending the State Teachers College was taken to St. Francis hospital Monday where she underwent an operation for appediccitis. Her mother and sister are at her bedside. Miss Hansel has many friends in the Graham community where she was a successful teacher for several years.

Berniece and Dorothy Lockhart are visiting their grandmother in Stanberry this week.

Mrs. Charles Kill of Skidmore left for home Monday after a few days visit with her mother Mrs. Alice Little.

Mrs. Samantha Baugher of Skidmore spent the day Wednesday with Mrs. Allie Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Davis and son, Oren, drove to Fillmore Tuesday. Mr. Davis' mother accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. Turnbull and son, Paul, and daughter, Myra, drove to Lennox, Iowa, Sunday afternoon to visit a school friend of the former. They were accompanied by Ralph Scott who also visited friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Flemming had for their dinner guests last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Montgomery of Bolckow, Clifford McMasters of Columbia. Miss Mildred McMaster of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wilson and daughter Ella De, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Flemming and daughters, Martha Marie and Susan.

Mr. and Mrs. Amador Yount and daughters of Prentiss, Neb., arrived Thursday for a visit at the home of Mrs. Yount's mother, Mrs. Rosene Finkbeiner.

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AUCTION SALE—Household goods, furniture practically new. Will be sold southeast Court House square at 2:30 p. m., Saturday.—J. R. Braniger, Auctioneer.

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WANTED—Walnut bookcase belonging to my father W. L. Johnson and given to me. Will appreciate the return.—Gertrude DuVall, 521 East 5th Street.

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THE CANDIDATES

Who Missouri's Senatorial Candidates Are and What They Stand for.

EWING COCKRELL

Circuit Judge Ewing Cockrell, a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the long term for United States Senator, was born in the house in which he now resides. He was educated in the public schools of Warrensburg, Harvard College, University of Virginia Law School and Columbia University, Washington, D. C., a graduate school of science and law.

Cockrell has traveled extensively and has sojourned and studied in many of the European capitals. In 1896 and 1897 he traveled in Western Europe, Russia and Siberia, studying sociological conditions and writing about them.

Began Law Practice in 1898.

When he returned to Warrensburg in 1898 he began the practice of law. In 1904 he was elected Prosecuting Attorney of Johnson County. He was re-elected in 1906. During his incumbency as Prosecutor he gave much attention to the prosecution of tax dodgers, liquor law violators and jury bribers.

He is the son of the late Senator Francis Marion Cockrell, who represented Missouri thirty years in the Senate.

Cockrell was elected Circuit Judge in 1916 and was re-elected in 1922. He has encouraged the practice of settling cases out of court to avoid delays and has inaugurated other court practices which meet with the favor of litigants, but have incurred the displeasure of some of the lawyers.

Cockrell is running bone dry. He has the indorsement of the Missouri Antisaloon League and of the W. C. T. U., for the nomination for the long term for Senator.

The Antisaloon League first indorsed Willis H. Meredith following a canvass to determine which was the stronger with the drys, Cockrell or Meredith. The league attempted to secure Cockrell's withdrawal as a candidate. He refused to get out and in a letter to Rev. Parker Shields, superintendent of the Anti-saloon League, he said that the canvass conducted by the Antisaloon League was unfair to him in view of the fact that Meredith had been a member of its State Board of Directors.

Things drifted along. Finally Mrs. Nelle G. Burger, state president of the W. C. T. U., secured Cockrell's consent to withdraw as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the short term, if Meredith withdraw as a candidate for the six-year term.

Dry Concentration.

This enables the drys to concentrate, if they desire, on Cockrell for the long term against Hawes and upon Meredith for the short term.

Both Meredith and Cockrell now are laying heavy stress upon prohibition. When Cockrell announced his candidacy, he said:

"I have worked hard for the enforcement of all laws and will continue to enforce them. I am against unlawful conduct of officials wherever it exists in liquor cases or any others. I do not drink whisky or any intoxicating liquor. I do not claim this as a virtue. I have known and loved many fine men and women who did drink. But I believe it only common honesty that any official in court, Congress, or elsewhere, who swears to uphold the laws should himself not break them."

Cockrell has been an active advocate of court reform ever since he became a Circuit Judge. When the Missouri Constitutional Convention submitted an amendment to the voters in February, 1924, to reorganize the judicial system of Missouri, Cockrell supported it. He cited the case of Rube Oglesby of Warrensburg, former Railroad Commissioner, who sued a railroad company for damages for personal injuries, litigated the case for nine years and lost it.

"It took Rube four years and a half to get nowhere and nine years to get beat," said Cockrell commenting upon that litigation and its ending.

Aided in Crime Survey.

Cockrell actively co-operated with the Missouri Association for Criminal Justice, , which has made an extensive survey to discover and recommend remedies for the defects in the judicial system.

Welfare and sociological questions have engaged Cockrell's attention. In announcing his candidacy he said: "I believe firmly in property and its protection. But my great interest is in the people and their welfare."

"I believe the machinery for giving justice is not good enough. It is not good enough for the criminal and the state, for a child and society, nor for a man and his neighbor."

For World Court.

"The machinery for justice is not good enough between Nation and Nation. I am for the World Court. But it falls far short of being enough. The great desire of mankind today is peace instead of war."

During his campaign Cockrell has advocated a reduction of the tariff, farm relief, creation of a commission to make a national survey of law enforcement agencies, the World Court and prohibition.

Cockrell Supported Breckenridge Long against Senator James A. Reed for the Democratic senatorial nomination in 1922.

He is a son of the late United States Senator Francis Marion Cockrell. In some localities his chief support is due to that fact.

When Cockrell announced his candidacy he said "if anybody is kind enough to vote for me on account of his memory, though I do not deserve such a vote, I will appreciate it more than any other I receive."

Admirer Of Wilson.

Cockrell has devoted during his campaign much praise to the achievements of the Wilson administration, and much praise to the achievements of the Gardner administration in Missouri. He has commended the income, inheritance and corporation franchise tax laws which fall chiefly upon the residents of the cities.

Throughout his campaign he has put out quaint appeals for the rural vote. In announcing his candidacy he said: "I am only a country judge living in a country town in the house where I was born."

Cockrell is picturesque in appearance. He usually wears a broadbrimmed hat, a narrow bow tie and in general appearance looks the part of a statesman of the old school. His silvery gray hair curls out below his hat.

He married Leacy P. Williams in Virginia. They have four children.

War Service.

When the world war broke out Cockrell tried to get into service. He was turned down at Washington because of his age, then 44. He came home, organized three companies of home guards and drilled them. He helped in the development of the men called in the first draft at Kansas City and became director in such service in nine counties. He tried again in the latter part of 1918 to enlist. He went to Camp Taylor and sought infantry enlistment. He was told he was too old. He returned home, boxed twenty rounds with a local boxer, ran five miles in his heavy clothes, then had a physician examine him. He was pronounced O. K. and when he sought enlistment again was accepted. Before he was inducted into service the war ended. He spent several months in France then in the service of the Y. M. C. A.

His speeches and campaign statements have been unique in tone. There is a quaintness of appeal and a homeliness of expression about his utterances which sets him apart from other candidates.

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FOR RENT — Furnished lighthouse-keeping rooms. Also garage.—216 South Mulberry. — Hanamo 6763. Call evenings.

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WANTED by August 20, 3 or 4 unfurnished rooms.—Write "R. A." care of Democrat Forum.

FARMS AND LAND FOR SALE 46

FOR SALE or rent.—8-room house, 8 lots adjoining. Barn, garage, sheds, 2 good wells and electric lights. Late residence of W. L. Johnson.—Inquire of E. C. Johnson, Burlington Junction.

HOUSES FOR SALE 47

FOR SALE
6-room house with one lot located 4½ blocks of square, on West Side. Cave, barn, etc. For quick sale at $2,750.
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NOTICE OF SELECTION OF DEPOSITORY FOR SCHOOL FUNDS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of the School District of Maryville, Missouri, will receive sealed bids from such banks and banking corporations as may desire to be selected as depositories of the funds of the district. Bids will be received until noon of the 19th day of August, 1926. The funds of the district will be divided into three equal parts, and the bidder will state how many parts it desires. The depository or depositories selected will pay interest to the district, computed on daily balances, for all funds of the district deposited with it, and the bidder will state the highest rate of interest it will pay.

Bond for the protection of the funds deposited in the selected depository will be required under the provisions of Section 9585 R. S. 1919. Proposals may be left with the secretary of the board at his office in the Court House.

Done by order of the board.
L. C. COOK,
President.
GEO. P. WRIGHT,
Secretary.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

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Hogs.

Receipts 5,000; market steady to 10c up.
Top, $13.40; bulk, $10.25 to $13.10.

Cattle.

Receipts 400; market steady.
Bulk of steers, $7 to $9.25.
Cows and heifers, $3 to $9.
Calves, $5 to $10.50.
Stockers and feeders, $5.25 to $8.25.

Sheep.

Receipts 2,500; market steady to steady.
Lambs, $12.75 to $14.15.
Ewes, $6 to $7.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Receipts 1,000; market steady to strong.

Hogs.

Receipts 6,000; market steady to 10c up.

Sheep.

Receipts 4,000; market steady.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 17,000; market strong to 10c up.

Cattle.

Receipts 30,000; market slow; steady to weak.

Sheep.

Receipts 6,000; market steady.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Receipts 1,500; market steady.

Hogs

Receipts 10,000; market slow to steady.

Sheep

Receipts 1,500; market steady.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 3,000; market uneven.
Bulk, $11.65 to $13.
Heavies, $11 to $11.50.
Butchers, $12.25 to $13.15.
Lights, $13 to $13.25.
Pigs, $13.25 to $14.25.

Cattle.

Receipts 1,500; market steady.
Prime fed steers, $9.25 to $10.50.
Dressed beef steers, $7.50 to $9.50.
Western steers, $7.50 to $9.65.
Southern steers, $5 to $8.60.
Cows, $3 to $7.
Heifers, $5 to $10.
Stockers and feeders, $5.25 to $8.50.
Bulls, $4.50 to $5.50.
Calves, $6 to $10.

Sheep.

Receipts 2,000; market steady.
Spring lambs, $12.25 to $14.25.
Yearlings, $9.50 to $10.50.
Ewes, $4.50 to $7.25.
Wethers, $7.50 to $8.50.
Stockers and feeders, $12 to $13.

Chicago Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 1 red, $1.47½ to $1.48; No. 2 red, $1.47 to $1.47½; No. 1 hard, $1.47 to $1.48¼; No. 2 hard, $1.47 to $1.47¾.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, 85c to 86c; No. 3 yellow, 84¼c to 84½c; No. 2 mixed, 85¼c; No. 3 mixed, 82½c to 83½c; No. 2 white, 85¼c to 86c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 43c to 45c.

HAY—Timothy, $5.75 to $6.75; clover, $12 to $23.

RYE—No. 1, $1.10 to $1.10¼.

BARLEY—72c to 75c.

Chicago Grain Table.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close	Yest.
July	1.48¼	1.48¾	1.46½	1.47½	1.46½
Sept.	1.45	1.46	1.43⅝	1.44⅛	1.44⅛
Dec.	1.49¼	1.50	1.47⅞	1.48¼	1.47⅜
CORN—					
July	.76½	.77⅞	.76½	.76¾	.78⅜
Sept.	.85¼	.85½	.84½	.85	.85⅝
Dec.	.88⅝	.88¾	.87⅝	.87⅞	.88¾

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce

WHEAT—965 cars; hard, ½c lower to 1c higher; red, ½c to 1c lower; No. 2 hard, $1.36½ to $1.43½; No. 3 hard, $1.35 to $1.43; No. 2 red, $1.40 to $1.41; No. 3 red, $1.36 to $1.39.

CORN—13 cars; market 1c lower; No. 2 mixed, 84½c to 86c; No. 3 mixed, 82½c to 84½c; No. 2 yellow, 87½c to 88½c; No. 2 white, 84½c to 86c.

OATS—None; market unchanged to 1c higher; No. 2 white, 43½c to 44½c.

RYE—No. 2, $1.09.

HAY—Prairie, choice, $12 to $12.50; timothy, No. 1, $15 to $15.50; alfalfa, choice, $19.50 to $21.

Eggs, 27c; selected, 32c; butter, 42c to 43c; packing, 23c; hens, 22c; turkeys and young toms, 30c; broilers, 26c; ducks, 13c; geese, 9c.

Closing Grain Review.

Chicago, July 30.—With the exception of wheat, all grains closed lower than yesterday's final figures on the Board of Trade today. July wheat was ⅝ higher and December ¾ up, but the September position was off ¼. Prices rose sharply early in the session on short covering and outside buying induced by the strength of Liverpool and Winnipeg as well as the dry weather in Canada.

Corn was under pressure during the entire session and closed from 1⅝ to 3¼ lower.

Oats were ¾ to ½ off on the weakness in corn and because of realizing sales.

Provisions closed higher on good demand for cash lard.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Cream, per lb.	34c
Eggs, per doz.	21c
Hens, per lb.	19c
Light Hens, per lb.	16c
Springs, per lb.	23c
Leghorn Springs, per lb.	18c
Cocks, per lb.	7c
Geese, per lb.	10c
Ducks, per lb.	10c
Hides, per lb.	5c

Workman Chapel

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carmichael and George and Lester Kunkle visited with relatives at Tarkio Sunday.

Enos Pence shipped hogs and cattle Monday.

Charles Pierson and Charley Neal attended the Bedford Fair Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Van Pelt and sons visited with relatives at Tarkio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Workman visited at the Robert Needham home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pierson of Burlington Junction, Mrs. O. O. Wallace of Maryville and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Pierson and children of Quitman were dinner guests at the Charles Pierson home Sunday.

Miss Laberta Meadows of Maryville visited Saturday and Sunday at the Sears home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. Will Kluth, Mr. and Mrs. John Knisley, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kluth and son, Oliver, and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Perry and Miss Charlotte Heller enjoyed a picnic on the 102 River Sunday.

Mrs. John Bailey and daughter and Mrs. Charles Bimo and children of Miami, Okla., visited with the Zook family a few days last week.

Alma Koger and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sid Ewing Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pearson and son of Clarinda, Ia., visited with Mrs. Pearson's sister, Mrs. Luther Williams and Mr. Williams, Sunday.

Lester Kunkel visited Sunday evening with Earl and Lee Pierson.

The Rev. and Mrs. Ragsdale and family left Tuesday morning for a two weeks visit to points of interest in Iowa and Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton of Blanchard, Ia., visited a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Sid Ewing.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zook and daughter, Verlee, and Emery Zook, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Zook and son, spent Sunday with relatives at Elmo.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Carmichael and children attended a family reunion at the Allen Henry home Sunday.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: The Old War Horse

LITTLE ANNIE WANTS TO KNOW IF I EXPECT TO STAY LICKED- BY JUPITER, I CAN'T STAND THIS MUCH LONGER-
I'M NOT SO OLD- SHAVE OFF THIS BLASTED BRUSH AND I'D FEEL TEN YEARS YOUNGER- THE IDEA OF A MAN MY AGE GIVING UP TO A YOKEL LIKE THAT COUNT-
MY SPIRIT'S BROKEN, IS IT? BLAH- WHAT'S A BUSTED SPIRIT? IF I HAD FELT LICKED WHEN THEY DUMPED ME OVERBOARD IN THAT SACK I'D BE A REAL SPIRIT NOW-
BUT I FOUGHT THEN- I'VE ALWAYS FOUGHT- AND I'LL FIGHT AGAIN- THAT WISE-CRACKER WHO SAID, "WHILE THERE'S LIFE THERE'S HOPE" KNEW HIS PRUNES- IT MAY BE HOKUM BUT I LIKE IT-
HAROLD GRAY
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Much Corn Is Being Sold In County

Burlington Junction and Barnard Report Shipping Out Several Thousand Bushels.

More corn has been shipped out of Burlington Junction and Barnard in the past two weeks than during any other similar period for the past few years, say the Burlington Junction Post.

The Post says:

The corn market has been on the upgrade and local buyers have been paying 75 cents per bushel for several days. Much of the crop last year was cribbed and held for a higher price.

Indications are that the new crop will also be a good price, a local buyer stating today that he looked for new corn to start at around 65 cents per bushel, higher than it has started any year since the high prices following the war.

Corn prospects are not especially bright over the corn belt, northern and eastern Iowa and Illinois are said to have had their crops cut considerably short by drought early in the season, and sections of Missouri south and east of here are also said to have suffered from dry weather. Right in this section prospects have never been better, and a few more rains will insure a record crop.

The Barnard Bulletin Says:

Several thousand bushels of corn is being shipped out of Barnard. There was a great amount of last year's corn crop left in the country because of the small amount of feeding that was done in the community the past year. Many held the old corn until the prospects for this years crop could be estimated. R. W. Bridges, Fields and Clemmons and several others have sold and are shipping out several thousand bushels in the past two weeks. Most of this corn is being shelled and is selling at around 76 cents per bushel.

Primer Instructions For Voting Prepared

Missouri League Of Women Voters Gives Rules For New And Uninformed Exercise Of Franchise.

Columbia, Mo., July 30.—Primer instructions for new voters and those who are unfamilar with the ways of politics have been issued in a bulletin by the Missouri League of Women Voters with state headquarters at Christian College here.

Four suggestions are contained in the bulletin to guide the politically innocent. They are:

1. Look the candidate over if possible. If he visits your neighborhood and speaks, go out to hear him.

2. If you cannot hear him, read what he has to say either in the papers or in the special announcements that are flooding the mails.

3. If he has a record, that will speak for itself. If he is seeking reelection and has done well, the people should be given the benefit of his continued service and experience.

4. Note carefully the crowd he runs with. Who are the people and what are the forces supporting him? Still more significant may be the character of the opposition. If he is being bitterly fought because he has done that which is right, he should receive your support.

The suggestions are made in view of the August 3 primary. The League also has published a special number of the "Missouri Woman Citizen," giving information on the candidates for the United States Senate and House of Representatives, the Missouri Senate, Judge of the Supreme Court, Circuit Judge, and State Superintendent of Schools.

Besides giving biographical sketches, this number gave the replies to questionnaires sent to candidates for the United States Senate and House of Representatives and Missouri Senate. This number was gotten out by Mrs. Virgil Loeb, St. Louis, and Mrs. Gardner Smith, Kansas City.

Forgetfulness May Save This Man $25

Lad Robs Benefactor, But Failure To Mail Postcard Gives Clue To Residence Of Thief.

Beatrice, Neb., July 30.—The forgetfulness of L. E. Hutton, farmer near here, probably will aid him in recovering the $25 he lost when he played the role of a good Samaritan.

When Hutton was returning from an automobile tour of California, he "picked up" Rollin Burkhart, 18, hiker, in Denver. Hutton brought the youth to his home and intended to let him rest several days before he went on with his hike. However, when Hutton and his family drove to Beatrice, Burkhart, who was left at the Hutton home, stole $25 and fled.

Hutton's forgetfulness caused him to overlook mailing a postcard Burkhart had given him. The postcard was addressed to Burkhart's mother at Dupo, Ill., and said he would be home soon. Dupo officials have been asked to arrest Burkhart when he arrives.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Thompson left for their home at Dwyer, Wyo., Monday after a two weeks' visit in Maryville with the latter's grandmother, Mrs. W. F. Mercer, her uncles, Ab and Fisher Mercer, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thompson, parents of Mr. Thompson.

THE MOST STUBBORN MAN.

Mrs. Alex Wells says that Alex can be the most stubborn man she ever heard at times. Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Wells had the bath tub and water ready for Alex to take his bath and also a light colored shirt for him to put on. After a short argument Alex put the shirt on and then wanted to lie on the couch as he was tired. Then came Douglas and wanted his father to put on his house slippers, stating that Bob and his wife were coming over, and after another short argument the house slippers were put on. In a short time Bob Wells and family and Mrs. Wells' sister, Mrs. Paul Sawyer and son of St. Joseph came. A few minutes later H. W. Montgomery and family drove up and "Hi" and Alex sat on the running board of the car and were talking about various things and J. O. Miller and family drove up from the east and "Hi" remarked that a good many were out riding around this evening. But J. O. "spilled the beans" when he began to take out the basket of grub. Alex then began to think, "I never saw anything cooking on the stove when I came in from work," and decided that the surprise was on him for sure.

Others who participated in the evening were: G. L. Owen and wife, Dr. Byron Owen and wife and Byron's friend, Dr. Moore of Eureka, Kans., E. C. McClurg and family, Miss Dora Albright, Mrs. R. A. Walker and A. C. Dodds.—Skidmore News.

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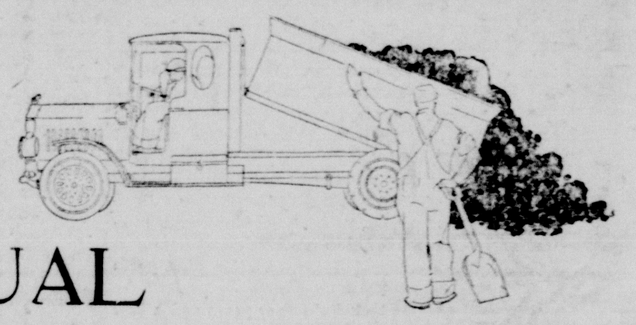

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